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Nevada City Grass Valley NUGGET

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O'SULLIVAN TO SPEAK AT HIGH SCHOOL TONITE

Major General Curtis D. O'Sullivan, adjutant general of the California national guard, will arrive here about 4 o'clock this afternoon and will be greeted by Harleth Brock, commanding officer of Co. E, 184th infantry regiment, at the Brock home.

Accompanying the general and his staff and Co. E officers on the tour will be Col. Roy A. Green of Sacramento, commanding officer of the 184th infantry, and Lt. Col. John G. Mackay of Auburn, who commands the second battalion of the 184th.

The party will be conducted on a tour of the twin cities for the purpose of inspecting possible armory sites.

Civic and organization leaders in the area have long sought an armory for the training of local guard units. The appearance here of General O'Sullivan is considered another step in that direction.

General O'Sullivan will be guest speaker at a dinner and program sponsored by the chambers of commerce of Nevada City and Grass Valley. The affair scheduled to begin at 7:30 p.m., will be held in the auditorium of the Nevada City high school. Preparation and serving of the dinner will be under the supervision of Mrs. Adele Sturtevant, head of the high school cafeteria department.

The general's speech will be entitled "What Is the National Guard and What Is Its Purpose?"

During the dinner, a program of music will be furnished by students of Nevada City high school. In announcing plans for the affair, both chambers of commerce have issued a special invitation to ladies to attend the dinner and program.

The Nevada City Rotary club, lending its support to the chamber officers arranging the affair, will make tonight's dinner a "ladies' night." It will take the place of today's noon luncheon, with a large number of the membership and their wives planning to attend.

The Nevada City Elks also expect to send a large delegation to the dinner. Robert Tamblyn, exalted ruler, announced the regular Thursday night meeting of Elks would be held Friday night in order to enable lodge members to attend the affair.

Other organizations in both communities have registered their support of the jointly-sponsored dinner. Brock said the committees were planning to accommodate 200 men and ladies for the dinner and program.

Following the dinner, the general will make an inspection of Co. E, holding its weekly drill in the rooms of Cardinal hall. The company commander has invited as many as possible to view the company which will be engaged in its regular training program.

ARC BURNS OUT BOX IN GRASS VALLEY SUB STATION TO CUT POWER

Power was off in Nevada City and Grass Valley for two hours and 35 minutes Sunday afternoon when an arc burned out a buss box in the Grass Valley substation on South Auburn street.

Work had almost been completed at 4:40 on a task of cutting over to four new transformers when the arc occurred.

Modernization of the substaton is expected to be completed in May.

Farrell, manager of the Grass Valley office of the P.G.&E., also stated the substation in Nevada City should be ready for operation in May.

Senior Class to Have Food Sale Saturday

The senior class of Nevada City high school is planning a home-cooked fod sale Saturday at 10 a.m., in front of the Alpha store.

Proceeds from the sale will go toward senior ball expenses.

The class plans to have all sorts of delicious home cooked food for sale at reasonable prices.

All Work Stops As Ducks Are Periled

All work stopped in the vicinity of the Plaza yesterday afternoon while rescue operations proceeded for the rescue of the family of newly hatched ducklings which attempted to swim the swift waters of Deer creek.

The 11 ducklings were hatched Tuesday and yesterday morning by a mallard duck belonging to Eldon Kendrick of the Nevada City Ice Delivery. The rash young things tried their web feet too soon in life and the swift waters started to carry them away.

Willing hands leaped to the rescue and Kendrick and his men, Cliff Dodge and Al Corbell saved eight of the young 'uns.

RIDGE GROUP STARTS PLANS ON CENTENNIAL

Action was started on plans for the centennial and carnival show scheduled for Saturday and Sunday, June 25 and 26, in North San Juan, at last Thursday evening's meeting of the North San Juan, Camptonville and Vicinity Chamber of Commerce, in Twamly hall, North San Juan.

The enthusiastic meeting was presided over by Ed J. Kohler, president.

Committees for the centennial and carnival were appointed as follows:

Parade: Ben Slankard, chairman, Fred Butts, Andy Eveler.

Centennial: Arthur Atchinson, chairman, Gordon Kessler, Jack Kennedy.

Bathing beauty contest: Ed J. Kohler, chairman, R C. Hill.

Water committee: William Moulton.

Food and entertainment: Mrs. Alta Atchinson and Mrs. Alice Kohler.

A parade is planned and a rodeo is probable.

The Red Men organization indicated it planned to join the celebration, with George W. Gildersleeve participating.

The chamber decided to use one-half of the net profits of the big show to assist in the building a meeting place in Camptonville.

TWO TAHOE MEN ARE TRANSFERRED, FETED AT PICNIC LUNCHEON

Jack Davis and Kenneth Duncan of the Tahoe national forest staff, have been transferred.

Davis, personnel and payroll clerk here the past two years, is transferred to headquarters of San Bernardino national forest, where he has been assigned as top clerk in the office.

Before serving in headquarters Davis was at Big Bend ranger station for one year. He has been serving as organist at Trinity Episcopal church.

Replacing Davis will be Stanley Hornberger, who was a former top clerk in the Tahoe headquarters. He has recently been assigned as dispatcher in the Trucke area.

Duncan, timber management aide under Bob Dasman, has been transferred to Stanislaus national forest with headquarters at Sonora where he will continue in the same type of duty.

Personnel of the forest headquarters gathered at Pioneer park Tuesday evening for a picnic lunch honoring Davis and Duncan.

Delegates at Diocese Convention in Benicia

The annual convention of the diocese of the Episcopal church was held at St. Paul's church, Benicia, Tuesday afternoon, and all day yesterday.

Dinner was held Tuesday evening. The corporate communion was held yesterday morning with the Rt. Rev. Noel Porter, bishop of the Sacramento diocese, givng his annual address. The clergy in the diocese, with students from the church divinity school at Berkeley formed a choir for this service.

Delegates from Trinity Episcopal church with the rector, Rev. Max L. Christensen, were Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hall and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Siegfried.

BANNER PARK HAS MERIT SAYS HANSON

Banner mountain state park has merit, according to Earl P. Hansen, deputy chief of the state division of beaches and parks. He was here Monday and Tuesday inspecting the feasibility of the 600-acre part site near here.

Hanson, accompanied by William Sharp, former ranger and Lou Moran, present ranger for the state division of forestry and Mr. and Mrs. Val Baima, inspected the site Monday.

Inspection and investigation of the park was authorized by a resolution adopted by the state legislature and proposed by Assemblyman Francis Lindsay. The division of beaches and parks was instructed to submit its report to the legislature within a year.

Hanson said the development is in a nebulous stage but the Baimas envisioned a masonry tower at the peak of Banner mountain, a gold museum, camping and picnicking facilities. The boundaries are indefinitely proposed at Little Deer creek on the north and the Herrin ditch on the east and south. The area includes timber and mining ground, some privately owned and some the property of the Nevada irrigation district.

Hanson estimates the development would cost $2,000,000. State funds are available from the balance remaining in a $5,000,000 fund for the acquisition of areas suitable for inclusion in the state park system. Appropriated by the legislature in 1945, moneys available from this fund must be matched by an equivalent amount of funds or land values from other sources than state funds.

Hanson declared the present proposals involve considerable expenditures and the state park commission may wish to know if Nevada county athorities would develop and operate the park.

Hanson also commented Banner mountain summit is not difficult to access by automobile.

GROUP ORGANIZES TO OPPOSE REPEAL OF PROPOSITION NO. 4

A joint committee to retain constitutional amendment 25 (old age security and security for the blind) was established last week by delegates representing three Nevada county organizations.

Temporary officers elected were Frank Moses of the Citizens Committee for Old Age Pensions, chairman; George S. Hooper of the Townsend club, secretary; Alfred Kronfeld of the Independent Progressive party, treasurer.

The purpose of the joint committee is to oppose the repeal of the present pension plan and to issue information and correct misapprehensions about it.

Any organization interested in working to retain constitutional amendment 25 are invited to contact any of the above officers for further information.

"CORKY" PIETILA IS NEW ATTRACTION AT EDDIE'S PLACE HERE

"Corky" Pietila is the new attraction signed by Eddie Furano to entertain customers at Eddie's Place, Sacramento street, tomorrow, Saturday and Sunday evenings.

Pietila has recently been at Virginia's, Auburn, and comes here with the reputation of being an accomplished piano and solovox player and sings to his own accomplaniment. He was born in Detroit, Mich., and has performed in many leading night clubs of the west coast.

Furano said dancing may be enjoyed to Pietila's playing.

Staffords Buy Lunch Counter From Crawleys

Guy and Glenna Stafford announced this week they are purchasing the lunch room and building known as Ruth and Roys at 129½ Broad street, from Roy and Ruth Crawley. The sale will be completed May 9.

Evangelist

Clyde Paul White

EVANGELISTIC CRUSADE HERE ALL NEXT WEEK

A union evangelistic crusade will be conducted all next week at the Methodist church. The crusade is being sponsored by the Baptist and Methodist churches of Nevada City.

Clyde Paul White, a dynamic speaker, will conduct the services.

Opening services will be held Sunday at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Evening services will be held Monday through Saturday at 7:30 o'clock. Closing services will be held Sunday, May 8, at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

Monday will be men's night. Other special nights will be a homemakers' night Wednesday, women's night Thursday, Sunday school night Friday, and a special young people's rally Saturday night.

The Rev. White lives in San Francisco. He is western missionary representative of the Conservative Baptist Association of America, and has held several pastorates in California. He comes from Tennessee, where he attended Charleston-Newman college at Jefferson City. He studied further at Fresno state callege and Baptist divinity school is Berkeley.

DR. KERRIN IS THIRD CANDIDATE FOR LOCAL SCHOOL TRUSTEE

Dr. C. N. Kerrin, local physician and president of the Nevada City Lions club has filed with county superinendent of schools for post of trustee on the school board of the Nevada City unified school district.

Dr. Kerrin will seek the post which will be made vacant next month when the present term of board president J. Howard Penrose expires.

Dr. Kerrin, who has served in various school capacities, including school council, athletic coach, and school physician, said he has always maintained as interest in the welfare of the schools and the children. He has a son enrolled in the elementary school.

He has been a resident of Grass Valley and Nevada City since 1943, and served in the navy during the war.

The other two candidates for the school post are Mrs. George F. Becraft and Harold Berliner.

Seventh Grade Forum On China Tonight On Radio Station KGFN

A forum on China will be presented tonight at 7:15 over radio station KGFN by the pupils of Mrs. Kilroy's seventh grade of the Nevada City elementary school.

Material for the discussion was collected by the whole class,

Jimmy Curry will be moderator for the boys and Rosemary Thibault will be questioner for the girls.

The program is sponsored by the Nevada City elementary school Parent-Teacher association.

REHEARSALS POLISHING ELKS SHOW

Rehearsals this week are polishing up the fine points of the Nevada City Elks baseball uniform benefit show scheduled for the Elks hall Saturday, May 7, at 9 o'clock. The show will be preceded by a baked ham dinner at 7 o'clock.

Frank Stewart, director and producer of many outstanding Elks shows will be in charge. He announces his committee has arranged for the appearance here of two outstanding artists from Los Angeles and San Francisco.

Ivan Godnogutz, violinist from Los Angeles and Madame Sophie Sophsnitch, opera soprano, from San Francisco, will be featured on the show, according to Stewart.

Miss Sophsnitch will sing "How Come the Mortgage Aint Been Paid?" and "I've Waited 18 Years for a Phone Call."

Other featured performers will include Dixie Lee Mauch, dancer, and Ernie Young, acrobat.

The following entertainers in addition to the featured stars, participate in the show which is being directed and produced by Stewart: George Hanson, Dr. C. N. Kerrin, Chet Murchel, Lucy Murchel, Frank Cartoscelli, Bill Gibson, Allan Clapp, Moscoe Smart, Bob Peterson, Dick Prine, Chuck Hilpert, George Campbell, and the Lionettes, Audrey Kerrin, Virginia Clapp, Bernice Gibson, Rose French and Dee Montonari.

Bill and George Campbell will arrange the lights and scenery.

Dancing will follow after the conclusion of the show, with Al Schweigert and his orchestra furnishing the music.

LOCAL FILM PALACE MAY OPEN IN JULY

The Nevada City theater hopes to be open for showing of films the early part of July, according to an announcement this morning by Jack Keegan, manager. Keegan said the work of remodeling is progressing very rapidly and unless unforeseen difficulties arise the project will be completed on schedule.

Work started this week on the balcony and the electrical wiring was scheduled to start this week.

Keegan said the theater will seat 650 persons and will include a loge section. Plans call for neon lighting in front. Interior decorations have not yet been decided. Keegan said the plans should arrive at his office in the very near future.

Keegan said the opening picture will be presented on a Friday night and tentative plans hope for a party of Hollywood celebrities to be in attendance.

A name for the theater has not yet been determined.

BROTHERS HELD TO ANSWER IN GRAND THEFT SATURDAY

Frank Hudson and George Hudson, Marysville brothers, were held to answer in superior court in a preliminary hearing Saturday morning in justice court, Grass Valley.

The brothers were arrested early this month on a charge of stealing and slaughtering a steer belonging to Guy Robinson, Indian Springs rancher.

The two men were charged with grand theft, a felony. They are being held in Nevada County jail.

They were arrested April 9 by Yuba County sheriff John Dower cooperating with the local sheriff's office.

St. Canice Parish Plans Card Party

A parish whist party was set for Wednesday, May 25, at a meeting Tuesday evening at St. Canice pastor's home. Carl Hieronimus was named chairman of the party with Frank Stewart and Frank McGinnis assisting. Other committees are: Mrs. J. T. Carter, Mrs. Martha Dillon, Mrs. Gladys Ohme, George Falmbigl, food; Mrs. George Holub, prizes; Father William Daly, Don Wray, McGinnis, organization; Barry Gill, Wray, publicity.

Others attending Tuesday's meeting included Mrs. Elizabeth Ryan, Mrs. Emma Foley, Mrs. James Penrose, Mrs. Mary Warnecke, and Mrs. Kate Coughlin.

Motion for Non-Suit Granted in Palmer-Doolin Lumber Case

Ray Manwell, attorney for defense, asked for and was granted motion for non-suit Monday afternoon in Judge James Snell's superior court is the case of Clifford Palmer vs. Benjamin F. Doolin, Charles Colton and the Marysville Box and Lumber Co.

Palmer asked for $1,667.29 judgment for non-payment of stumpage, skidding and loading logs.

Vernon Stoll was attorney for plaintiff.

NUGGET WILL PUBLISH TWICE WEEKLY MAY 3

The Nevada City Nugget will be published twice weekly starting next Tuesday.

The county seat publication will be issued every Tuesday and Friday morning at 9 o'clock.

The new publishers, the Wray brothers, Robert and Donald, state it is another step in their program to publish the finest small city newspaper in northern California. Since they purchased the newspaper 11 weeks ago they have made several important improvements in the mechanical and journalistic departments of the publication. Several new faces of display type have been added.

The publishers state they will continue a daily policy of improvement in the newspaper, and as the field warrants will continue a healthy growth.

The publishers will continue its policy of accurate, complete and unbiased reporting, stressing Nevada City news and events, and a local pro-Nevada City and county editorial policy.

DRAMA GROUP TO GIVE THREE ONE-ACT PLAYS ON FRIDAY, MAY 13

Nevada City high school spring drama group will present three one-act plays: "The Man in the Bowler Hat," "The Deceivers," and "Grandma Old Style," Friday evening, May 13 at 8 p.m.

These prize winning classics in the one-act field all have been used in competitions, little theaters, in colleges and high schools all over the U. S.

"The Man in the Bowler Hat," a farce by A. A. Milne, affords opportunity for finished acting and subtle comedy.

"The Deceivers" by William DeMille is truth revealing and full of punch.

"Grandma Old Style" by Walter Pritchard Eaton is a delightful play showing grandma's old-fashioned virtues combined with the wisdom and sophistication of age, a combination paradoxical to her children and grandchildren.

These spring drama productions will be presented by a mixed dramatics group in the Nevada City high school auditorium. Tickets for adults are 50 cents, students are 25 cents, and children are 10 cents.

Music will be furnished by the orchestra under the direction of William Goerz. The plays are under the direction of Miss Evelyn Corr.

SIEGFRIED CHOSEN CHAIRMAN OF CITY PLANNING COMMISSION

J. F. Siegfred, enginer, was named chairman of the Nevada City planning commission Thursday at the group's first meeting since appointment by the city council April 14.

Attorney John Larue was elected secretary of the seven-man commission which will cooperate wtih the city council in handling the problems of zoning and community betterment within the city.

Other members of the planning group are William Novak, I. C. Bell, Stanley Halls, Floyd LeFebvre, and Max Flindt.

$13,000 in Building Permits Issued Here

P. G. Scadden issued two building permits this week, one for a $10,000 basolite home to J. F. Seley, and a $3,000 frame home to Warren Peglow, both of Grass Valley.

Seley will build his home on Dog Bar road in La Barr Meadows, south of Grass Valley. Peglow will build his home in Oaks subdivision of Grass Valley.

ARCHITECT IS APPOINTED FOR DISTRICT FAIR

R. R. Franceschi, Sacramento was appointed by the state architect's office, to be special architect for the 17th District Agricultural association of California. The announcement was made Tuesday by Senator Harold Johnson.

Franceschi will be in Grass Valley next week to confer with fair officials. He is expected to bring the plans and specifications for a grandstand, comfort stations and a master plan for the fairgrounds.

Announcement of Franceschi's appointment culminates a long period of negotiations with the state. When it became apparent the state architect's office was swamped with work, fair officials asked for an outside architect. Senator Johnson secured the appointment and has been at work on the proposal constantly for two months.

Franceschi's appointment is the first move in building of a modern fair grounds with structures at the 70 acre Watt park site.

RAILROADER TO SPEAK BEFORE HISTORY GROUP

George McCormick, divisional engineer for the Southern Pacific Lines, will be featured speaker at the Nevada County Historical society meeting Monday evening at the Episcopal parish hall in Grass Valley.

McCormick has made western history his hobby for many years and will address the society on early railroads, particularly the Central Pacific railway and its construction.

Mrs. Juliet Cox and William Durbrow are co-chairmen of the evening program which will also feature special music and light refreshments.

President Elmer Stevens urges a large attendance for the speaker who comes from Palo Alto.

IMMUNIZATION CLINIC IN COUNTY SCHOOLS WILL START TODAY

The children and pre-school children of Nevada county rural schools are again being offered smallpox vaccinations and diphtheria toxoid at a nominal cost. At the time of the immunizations, the physicians will give free physical examinations of children who will start school for the first time in September.

Following is a schedule of the clinics and districts participating in each clinic.

Cherokee, Birchville, and North San Juan at North San Juan school today at 1 p.m.

Chicago Park, Forest Springs, and Union Hill at Union Hill school today at 2:15 p.m.

Washington, Blue Tent, and Oakland at Oakland school, Tuesday, May 3, at 9 a.m.

Rough and Ready, Clear Creek, Indian Springs, Kentucky Flat, Lime Kiln, Wolf, and Pleasant Valley at Rough and Ready school Thursday, May 5, at 1 p.m.

Miss Vivian Berggren, rural school nurse, has arranged the clinics.

Dr. H. March and Dr. R. Conant of Grass Valley will be the physicians conducting the program.

Moscoe Smart At Budweiser Opening

Moscoe Smart, operator of the Nevada City Bottling Co. and beverage distributor, is in St. Louis this week attending the official opening of the Budweiser brewery. Smart made the trip to the company headquarters by plane Saturday, accompanied by nine other distributors. All are guests of the company while taking part in the five-day inspection of the new plant, reportedly the largest in the world.

The Weather

Fred Bush, observer

	high	low
Thursday, April 21	73	40
Friday, April 22	79	42
Saturday, April 23 ..	82	48
Sunday, April 24	75	40
Monday, April 25	73	33
Tuesday, April 26	74	34
Wednesday, April 27 ..	75	33

April 25, frost; April 26, frost; April 27, frost, heavy dew.

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ANOTHER WAY TO HELP LOCAL BUSINESS

Did you ever spend a few minutes in the lobby of the postoffice and watch the packages of mail order goods come in?

Did you know the money represented in those packages never returns to Nevada City except for the amount of postage the mail order companies pay to the local postoffice to deliver their catalogues?

Did you know Nevada county and Nevada City does not collect one red cent in taxation from the mail order firms?

Did you know that there is not one family employed or maintained in Nevada county by the major mail order firms?

Let's keep City and Nevada county prosperous.

It is a crime that Nevada county, which produced more mineral wealth than any other county in the United States, should show no benefits for that wealth. Nevada county, one of the highest producers of wealth in the state of California, is today one of the poorest counties in the state.

For all its production of wealth Nevada county has no decent roads, no adequate schools and no cultural aspects to show for it.

WOULD YOU SELL YOUR COUNTRY'S FUTURE FOR $140.85?

(This is a contributed editorial)

The arm-chair economists are at it again—the boys of the "hot-stove" league who always have the answer.

Once again the target is the American business system—and the crime, it seems, is the ability of that system to make enough profit to keep this country out of industrial red—keep our people working and living in the style they are accustomed to—and keep this country growing and improving and progressing.

Underneath it all, of course, is the somewhat time-worn ideological crusade to "spread the wealth."

Let's do a little analyzing, just as average Americans, using just average common sense.

Let's suppose that we take all the profit—all the net profit of American business for 1948, after the millions upon millions of taxes were paid.

The figure is about 20 billions. Nine per cent of the total national income of 220 billions. A lower percentage than in the boom year of 1929. A lower percentage than in the high production year of 1941.

But let's take all the net profit—the whole 20 billions—and distribute it in equal shares among the 142 million people in our country. Let's give every man, woman and child $140.85. That's what it amounts to.

Then let's cancel all the programs of expansion and rehabilitation of U. S. railroads—programs due to cost hundreds of millions. And let's struggle along with what we have.

Let's quit investing a hundred million dollars to bring out one brilliant, better, faster, more luxurious line of automobiles—and go on, year after year, driving the same old cars.

Let's scrap the expansion program of the oil industry, a program scheduled to cost billions, and quit worrying about gas for our automobiles and oil to heat our homes.

And let's quit paying dividends to the 5 million shareholders in American business, you who have invested your savings and expect a fair return for your money.

Exaggeration, you say? Not at all. It's just plain, simple arithmetic.

In 1948—U. S. Business put 19 billion dollars into plant, industrial, farm and mining improvement.

For what? To strengthen the guarantee that this country will remain in its coveted position of world industrial leadership. To make profits enough to protect the U. S. worker and his job. To keep business on a solid, safe, sound base—and reduce the risk of future recession and loss.

Is that what you want for your country's future and your future? Or will you sell out for $140.85—and stop progress?

Think over this loose talk about profits. Think it over seriously!

If you want this country thrown on the wreckage pile of other countries—the quickest way to do it is to throttle profits—the legitimate driving force back of our progress—the progress of every last one of us!

Some men get more fun out of grinding their axe than in burying the hatchet.

The worst thing about success is that it won't stay put!

Those movie cowboys would catch the rustlers sooner if they didn't stop so often to strum their guitars.

It's easier to find a better half than better quarters.

Washington Notes

By Congressman Clair Engle

HOOVER COMMISSION BLASTS V. A.

Veterans and veterans' organizations may be surprised to learn that the veterans administration got one of the worst lambastings for inefficiency and extravagance handed out by the Hoover commission.

All veterans' organizations are interested in legislation affecting veterans and in better administration of the laws for the benefit of the veterans. So, of course, are the veterans themselves.

The Hoover commission study which was submitted to congress says that the leadership in the veterans administration "has been of poor quality". The report continues: "The veterans administration has consistently elevated people into higher positions from its own ranks as a reward for length of service rather than demonstrated ability.

"Supervisors resist any reorganization of their activties which would reduce the number of people under them.

"Simple jobs are split into infinitesimal parts, thereby creating a higher rank for the supervisor. Since the number of people under him determines his rank, a supervisor is unwilling to take any action to improve operations if it reduces the number of people involved."

The report claims that 7000 supervisors could be eliminated, saving $28,000,000 a year.

RECOMMENDS CHANGES

Veterans administration workers complained about lack of opportunity, infringement on personal privacy, autocratic and arbitrary rules even as to the kind of clothes they can wear and rules which forbid supervisors to eat with subordinates.

The use of military titles, publicly scrapped in 1946, has been resumed and this has had a damaging affect on morale.

When I served on the committee on veterans affairs we were very much disturbed over the fact that the top admnistrative personnel in the veterans administration was largely made up of military men who retained their rank and titles. Apparently the situation has not been remedied.

In order to correct these defects, the Hoover commission report recommends that greater power be given the administrator, the elimination of branch offices which it says will save $1,900,000 annually in rent and $16,500,000 in salaries, and an increase of 10 per cent in productivity (resulting from better personnel relations), which will save $29,200,000 a year. These savings, totaling $75,700,000 a year the report says "are not unreasonable, but long overdue".

Copies of the Hoover commission report together with the study on which the report is based are available at my office to any veteran and veterans' organizations writing me for them.

HEAT INCREASES WEAR

Automobile tire wear increases with temperature. The California State Automobile association estimates that at 100 degrees temperature the rate of wear under average driving conditions is five times greater than at 40 degrees

WALK WITH CARE

Safe walking, under present day traffic conditions, requires its own degree of skill and alertness, points out the California State Automobile association, which notes that it's usually the casual walker who becomes the traffic casualty.

LOOSE FAN BELT

A loose fan belt may slip on the fan pulley and cause the engine of your car to overheat, says the California State Automobile association.

Just Wonderin'

I Wonder if of all the traits
Of which man is possessed,
The one which we call loyalty
Might well be deemed the best.

This is loyalty week—that is, I heard a radio personality saying that it was. However, so many statements heard over the air waves are afterward retracted, I can't be entirely sure; I can only hope that this is, Loyalty Week.

I Wonder if loyalty is not the most precious and desirable of all gifts to man. Loyalty is not restricted it may be used in our every business and social contact and exercised in all times and places. It forms the basis for all trust worthy human relationships and transactions—it is a noble ingredient without which man becomes an outcast from society, unloved, distrusted and unsung.

Loyalty like charity begins at home. Shakespeare recognized this fact when he wrote,

"This above all, to thine own self be true
And it must follow as the night the day
Thou can'st not then be false to any man."

Loyalty taught in the home becomes an intregral part of character, it extends beyond the confines of home and loved ones to embrace the school, teachers and school mates. Loyalty to one's town, city or community brings about inevitably that spirit of cooperation which results in community growth and development.

Loyalty is the heart of man should extend to cover the interests of his own state and his own country. It should include an altruistic interest and understanding of the world in which we live and a lively understanding and sympathy for the human family in toto.

During this Loyalty Week, it might be well to examine the state of our own portion of that commodity known as personal loyalty and see if it is in good working order. In all of our human relationships, in the home, in the community, to our state, to our flag, to our nation and to all of our worthy institutions, are we truly loyal? If the answer is "yes," we ned not be ashamed or afraid. The loyal man believes in the things to which he has pledged allegiance and he walks with assurance through the confusion and conflict of his time, serene in his faith that the changes going on about him, will ultimtaely insure the betterment in world affairs for which he is consistently striving.

Loyalty to our fundamental principals of right and wrong are being challenged in the world of today and it is essential that we re-examine them in the light of reason and renew our faith in that which is good and true.

There is no more worthy tribute which one can pay to a man than to say, "he is loyal." No more discreditable a trait in human nature than disloyalty. So indeed in the light of this new singing springtime it is well to look into that deep pool of the heart and ask of ourselves, "are we truly loyal in all of the commitments we have made." If the answer is "yes," we can join the great throng of loyal souls whose course is ever upward and whose goal is a shining portal over which is inscribed the one word, Peace.

—Adeline Merriam Conner

Nevada County Long Ago

Floy-Margaret Reynolds

29 YEARS AGO

Following the sale of the Empire mines to the Newmont company, the North Star mine in Grass Valley was also acquired by the corporation. The Empire and North Star companies were consolidated and were to be operated as one unit under the name of the Empire-Star Consolidated mines. Acquisition of the Empire properties was by outright purchase while the North Star purchase was said to have been by stock transfer. Fred W. Nobs and Arthur B. Foote were to continue as managing directors at the two properties. H. W. Hartman was to be installed as resident engineer.

Elmer Fischer opened up a new store in the Morgan Powell building in Nevada City. Four makes of radios were stocked, Spartan, Kellogg, Fada and Graybar and Mr. Fischer was prepared to do all kinds of electrical contracting and radio repairing.

The students of the Nevada City high school expressed their appreciation for the excellent cooperation of Mr. Isensee, principal, in the building of the tennis court. Mr. Isensee besides planning the court and arranging the financing, also donated much of his time in actual labor.

Richard Dix in "Moran of the Marines" and Tom Mix in "Hello Cheyenne" were playing at the Nevada Theater. General Foch funeral ceremony in Paris was the subject of the news reel.

50 YEARS AGO

A house occupied by Emil Bauer at Scott's Flat and built years before by his nephew, Nevada Hartung, was completely destroyed by fire.

Among the children who took part in a young people's masquerade at Odd Fellows hall in Nevada City were Myrtle Kitts, Lino Swart, Clifford Webber, Vesta Walling, Elsie Gray, Everett Hartung, Anna Hieronimus, Phoebe Pecor, Lizzie Flewellen, Clara Wills, Alma Eastin, Elsie Hartung, Ethel Richards, Mabel Ivey, Hannah Dougherty, Anna Hicks, Mary Hosking, Wiltse Ford, Lyda McKenna Mildred Gallagher, Lynette Webber, Verda Shurtleff, Minnie Smith, Martin Maher, Ivey Osborne, Andy Gifford, Lottie Ogden, Marguerite Mills, Ernest Werry, Tom Bullard, Evelyn Wills, Howard Douglass, Lester Kirkham, Louise Lawrence, Charles Clarke, Edwin Gribble, Alicia Grimes and Robert Carr.

John Richards and Mrs. Marcella Mitchell of Nevada City were married at the Congregational parsonage by the Rev. J. Sims. Miss Folra Hicks and Thomas Richards attended the couple who planned to make their home on Broad street near the New York hotel.

Edward H. Moore of Nevada City, murderer of Police Officer William Kilroy, was captured by the Sheriff of Contra Costa county near Martinez and returned to Nevada City under guard for trial. He had been the object of a strenuous search by Sheriff Getchell's posse for several weeks.

75 YEARS AGO

The Blue Tent school near Nevada City opened for the new year under the charge of Miss May Hawley.

Senator Charles Rent, resident of Nevada City, was on a visit to his boyhood home in Pittsburgh, Pa. It was rumored he was planing to open a first class grocery store and butcher shop upon his return.

Due to a disagreement between the gas company and the Nevada City board of trustees over the price of gas furnished the city for street lamps, the streets of the city were dark.

Ed P. Marselus, a long time resident of Nevada City and newly appointed U. S. marshal, was disposing of his property here and moving to San Francisco.

GEMS OF THOUGHT

DIGNITY

True dignity is never gained by place, and never lost when honors are withdrawn. —Massinger

Thought must be made better, and human life more fruitful, for the divine energy to move it onward and upward.

—Mary Baker Eddy

True dignity abides with him alone
Who, in the silent hour of inward thought,
Can still suspect, and still revere himself,
In lowliness of heart.

—Wordsworth

Never esteem anything as of advantage to thee that shall make thee break thy word or lose thy self-respect.

Marcus Aurelius

Gold Digger's Trail

Charles Scott Haley

"I thought I would do him proud," he said, "because I know he likes cigars. So before I left New York, I bought him a hundred Havanas. Henry Clay, I think they were, and they set me back a lot of money. When I arrived there, I found him surrounded by cigars—those damn Colombians. He offered me some at once, which I smoked.

"Well," thinks I, "If this is the sort of cigar you like, I shall jolly well keep those Havanas myself." And I brought them home and smoked them myself.

Which all goes to prove, that there is no accounting for tastes.

ALASKAN INTERLUDE

The year before I entered the army, I was leasing tungsten ground in the famous "Potato Patch" at Atolia. I had been caved upon in a shallow underground working, and had helped to bury another chap who was not so lucky, and I had sold all my product at a top price just before the market dropped. Consequently, when I received a telegram from Charles Janin, of San Francisco, asking me if I would go as his assistant to examine some placer ground on the upper Tanana River in Alaska, I jumped at the chance.

We took the Shasta Limited to Seattle, and then engaged passage on the coast steamer Jefferson. The voyage up, through the Inside Passage was uneventful enough, and very pleasant. We stopped at Vancouver, at Prince Rupert and at Ketchikan, and finally arrived at Juneau. There we had a chance to inspect the great glory hole on Treadwell Island, which has since been flooded by the breaking in of the Pacific Ocean, and then went on to Skagway. The trip is one which has been described by many travellers, and is not lacking in interest; the most impressive sight of the whole voyage was standing off the Taku glacier and watching the grinding masses of ice drop off from heights of several hundred feet into the waters of the inlet.

Arrived at Skagway, we took the train over the White Horse. The most astonishing thing to me was the vivid blue of the lakes, which resembled nothing so much as the deep indigo of a picture post card. It nust be remembered that this was in the month of June.

From White Horse, we boarded a little stern wheel river steamer which was pushing a barge loaded with freight down the Pelly River to the Yukon and to Dawson.

At Selkirk, where the river joins wtih the Lewes to make the Yukon, I stopped to take a few photographs. One view that presented itself was of a wrinkled old Indian crone—another of a magnificent white Husky dog. The old lady wanted fifty cents before she would pose; the dog wanted nothing, so I took two pictures of the dog, who was really worth while looking at.

We steamed on "beside the marge of Lake Lebarge" and eventually landed at Dawson, where we changed steamers for the lower river. We spent several days near Dawson while waiting, and covered the dredges on the main Klondike of the Canadian company, as well as making side trips on Discovery and Bonanza creeks. Our host at this time was a fine upstanding Irishman by the name of Boyle, who was superintendent of the company, and was later to become famous in the World War as commander of a machine gun company and also as personal body-guard to Queen Marie of Rumania. We had regarded him as a very mild chap, considerably henpecked at home—perhaps this very training had fitted him to be a hero when he broke loose.

Dawson at that time had been shorn of her past glory; had dwindled from twenty thousand riproaring inhabitants to a more handful of less than two thousands, who dozed and dreamed in the bright northern sun of the glories of the past.

Our next step was down the river to its confluence with the Tanana and up that river to Fairbanks.

This was at that time a fairly bustling little city of some five thousand souls, dependent on mining for its support. At that time the government railroad was building, and of course its character changed completely later on. We spent a few days in looking over the territory and the workings on Clary Creek and Coarse Gold and on Fairbanks Creek itself. One afternoon as our jitney driver was bringing us home over the divide of Clary Creek, we were frantically signalled to stop by a very agitated gentleman of Slavonic extraction. We slowed down in front of his cabin and asked what he wanted.

With monotonous regularity, he kept regularity, he kept repeating, over and over again, "He shoot de voman in de rear! He shoot de voman in de rear!".

This seeming of interest, we went into the house, where an American prospector asked us if we could take a patient to the hospital in Fairbanks. On assuring him that we would, he brought out a fairly hefty lady, also Slav, who had apparently been wounded by a .22 rifle bullet in the soft portion of her posterior. Things now seemed to piece together, and the mystery was further cleared by the victim herself, who talked with freedom and abandon all the fifteen miles to Fairbanks. It would seem that she had encouraged one lover more han another—which is not unusual with ladies who are dependent for their living on the spending ability of their entourage—and the cast-off suitor came in that morning with blood in his eye and a squirrel rifle in his hand, with the avowed intention of shooting his rival. The action from this time was very dramatic, according to the lady's testimony.

(to be continued)

The funny thing about a caricature is that it looks more like you do than you do.

Two pints make a quart, and two pints usually make a quartet.

Nevada City Nine Upsets Placerville 3-2

PERRY'S BRILLIANT FIVE-HIT PITCHING BEWILDERS LEAGUE CHAMPIONS IN SEASON OPENER

Nevada City's nameless baseball team Sunday lived up to its promise it would not be the doormat of the Placer-Nevada league this year by decisively dumping the 1948 champions 3-2 in 10 innings Sunday afternoon at Placerville.

Floyd "Babe" Perry set the long-ball hitters of the Bartletts down with five hits and was only in trouble once. And he got himself out of that hole by picking two successive runners off first. Perry struck out 8 and walked 2. Two of the five hits were long ones, going for a triple and a homerun and accounting for both Placerville runs. Perry gave but one hit the final six innings of the game.

Tony Kozinski's long triple to start the tenth inning was the pay-off blow. With the power side of the Nevada City lineup coming to bat it was almost certain he would be scored to wn the game and sure enough Cameron placed a long fly to Pelligrini to win the game.

The Bartletts drew first blood in the third inning. Whitmyre, shortstop, dragged an infield hit and Babbit, right fielder, smashed a mighty triple to deep center. With none out Perry rose to the task and Carpender and Johnson grounded to Goldsberry at short and Nonpariel Pelligrini struck out.

The Nevada City comeback was fast and in the fourth inning. With one out Schroeder doubled to left and rolled home ahead of Babe Childer's left field single.

Williams walked to start the Bartlett fourth but Babe Perry picked him off first. It turned out to be the game-saving throw as the next batter Duncan slammed the longest hit of the day for a circuit run and a Placerville lead of 2-1.

Until the eighth both pitchers had control of the game.

Kozinski opened with a single. Goldsberry singled to center and Pelligrini picked Kozinski off third on the throw-in. Cameron singled to left field and the runners added a base when Carsten was slow in relaying the ball in. Schroeder flied to Carsten and Goldsberry scored. Perry drove a long fly into center to give Pelligrini the star catch of the day. The fleet Bartlett centerfielder ran around a jumping pit, leaped over a log and ran up a 15-foot embankment to make a backhanded catch of the drive.

With a tie score, Perry struck out Babbit and Carpender and Johnson lined to Kozinski to retire the Bartletts in their half of the eighth.

Jones picked up a single for Nevada City in the ninth but died on stolen second base.

Kozinski's triple and Cameron's fly broke the deadlock. In the last half of the tenth Whitmyre and Babbit lined out to Kozinski and Clark grounded out to Goldsberry to end the game.

Box score:

Nevada City	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Jones, cf	5	0	1	2	0	0
Harris, 1b	5	0	2	12	0	1
Kozinski, lf	4	1	2	4	0	0
Goldsberry, ss	5	1	1	0	6	0
Cameron, c	5	0	2	8	0	0
Schroeder, 2b	5	1	3	2	2	0
Perry, p	4	0	0	0	6	0
Childers, rf	4	0	1	1	0	4
Thompson, 3b	4	0	0	1	0	1
Totals	45	3	12	30	14	2

Placerville	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Johnson, 2b	4	0	0	3	2	0
Pelligrini, cf	4	0	1	4	1	0
Williams, c	3	0	0	9	1	0
Duncan, 1b	3	1	1	9	0	0
Reeder, 3b	4	0	1	1	2	1
Carsten, lf	4	0	0	2	0	0
Whitmyre, ss	4	1	1	1	4	1
Babbit, rf-p	4	0	1	0	1	0
Carpender, p	3	0	0	0	1	0
Clark, rf	1	0	0	1	0	0
Totals	34	2	5	30	12	2

Score by Innings:
Nevada City .. 000 100 010 1—3
Placerville ..... 001 100 000 0—2

Summary: homerun: Duncan; three-base hits: Babbit, Kozinski; two-base hit: Schroeder; runs batted in: Cameron, Schroeder, Childers, Duncan, Babbit; stolen base: Jones; double play: Schroeder to Harris; left on bases: Nevada City 9, Placerville 4; struck out by Perry 8, by Carpender 6, by Babbit 2; base on balls off Perry 2; hit by Carpender: Kozinski; hits allowed: Carpender 10 in 8 innings, Babbit 2 in 2 innings; losing pitcher: Babbit; umpires: Lewis and Chittenden; time of game: 2:25.

VISIT HERE

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Gilcrest of Fresno were visitors in this area last week. She is the former Geneva Bell of this city.

Placer-Nevada League

	W	L	Pct
NEVADA CITY	1	0	1.000
Grass Valley	1	0	1.000
Colfax	1	0	1.000
Wolf & Royer	1	0	1.000
Folsom	1	0	1.000
Placerville	0	1	.000
Lincoln	0	1	.000
Roseville A.C.	0	1	.000
Truckee	0	1	.000
Auburn	0	1	.000

Games this Weekend

Nevada City at Lincoln
Auburn at Placerville
Roseville A.C. at Folsom
Colfax at Grass Valley
Truckee at Roseville Wolf & Royer

LINCOLN—Colfax defeated the home club here in 10 innings by the score of 3 to 2 to win the opening game of the Placer-Nevada League season.

The score:	R	H	E
Colfax	3	7	2
Lincoln	2	5	2

Batteries: Kienle and Sypnicki, Carnesecca and Robertson.

FOLSOM — The home team won its first game of the Placer-Nevada League season here, trouncng the Truckee club, 13-3.

The score:	R	H	E
Truckee	3	7	4
Folsom	13	16	1

Batteries: Kielhofer, Stephens and Korich; Hunter and Wyrzykowski.

ROSEVILLE—The Wolfs defeated their home town rivals, the Roseville Athletic Club nine 4 to 3 in the opening game of the Placer-Nevada League season here Saturday night.

The score:	R	H	E
Roseville AC	3	7	2
Wolfs	4	7	2

Batteries: Schmidt and Davis; Hartman and Stinson

AUBURN — The Cubs won their first game of the Placer-Nevada League here defeating the Grass Valley Braves 11 to 6.

The score:	R	H	E
Grass Valley	6	12	2
Auburn	11	14	1

Batteries: Mann and Cukjati; Hurley and Eden.

Placer-Nevada League President Charles Gallagher Tuesday ordered Auburn to forfeit Sunday's game to Grass Valley for use of an ineligible player. The Cubs used Roy Younkers at first base in what league officials called a violation of the league's bylaws.

Auburn scored 11 runs to 6 for Grass Valley in the game Sunday.

Fouyer Second-String Catcher for Stockton

Ainsley Fouyer, Nevada City, former catcher with the Anchos of the P-N League is doing well with Stockton Ports in the California State league.

Second string catcher, Fouyer has played in several of the preseason games.

Nevada City high school's A and B baseball teams will entertain the San Juan clubs today on the local baseball diamonds. Coach Ed Frantz's A nine will play at Pioneer park while the Bees take over the diamond at Cashin field.

'TAINT WHAT IT SEEMS

THE TECH PLAYER sliding into third base in this picture is not swallowing the ball as it appears. The cameraman stopped the action at the correct instant and angle necessary to get the resulting picture.

CROW SHOOT IS CANCELLED AS BIRDS SCATTER

The proposed crow shoot, tentatively scheduled for Sunday, May 8, in the Meridian area, has been cancelled, according to word received Tuesday by H. F. "Si" Sofge, secretary of the Nevada County Sportsmen's association, which held its regular meeting the previous evening in city hall.

J. C. Fraser, Allen Pollett and Bruce Kinsey of the Bear river base of the California division of fish and game were present at the meeting

Fraser told the club poisoning of lakes in Nevada county would be slackened. Four lakes in the county were poisoned in 1948, while none were poisoned in the other seven counties of the district. Fraser said Kinsey would be in this area this season surveying lakes for possible poisoning in 1950.

Cautioning the club about the pitfalls of attempting to predict, Fraser believed the salmon trout fishing in Donner lake ought to be good The Kokanee species first planted there in 1944 have spawned and salmon trout were taken in the lake in 1947 and 1948.

C. P. Dancer, Grass Valley, interjected and said although he wouldn't say a word about the fishing in Donner lake, he would be there.

Asked the reason for good fishing in newly formed reservoirs Fraser said the division was not certain of the reason. A theory advanced by Fraser indicated shore soil newly submerged was highly productive of the organisms and minerals of fish food. Fluctuation of water level also affected fishing conditions, with a steady water level being conducive to better fishing.

By all indications, Fraser said, Scotts Flat reservoir should be good fishing the next few seasons.

Following the success of Kokanee salmon trout plantings in Donner lake, Fraser said the division is planning to study the possibilities of planting Kokanee in Lake Tahoe. There are some already in the lake that escaped from Tahoe hatchery and it is believed the salmon trout will not harm fishing or fish.

Pollett declared the hatcheries suffered large losses during the severe winter, with Tahoe losing 0 per cent and Yuba river hatchery suffering a 50 per cent loss.

The club reiterated its opposition to a 40-day pheasant season.

Gene Johnson and Lou Brown were appointed to a rifle range committee.

Secretary Sofge was presented a handsome trolling rod from the club.

David Storz, Grass Valley, who projected the films at the elementary school auditorium Saturday for the Lions club benefit, showed "Hunting in Africa," "Michigan Beaver," and "Chinook's Children," plus Abbott and Costello in "Buck Privates Come Home,' on his DeVry projector.

Refreshments were served.

Thomas Keckley presided at the meeting.

GAME WARDENS SEES EXCELLENT FISHING IN COUNTY LAKES

With fingers crossed, wardens of the division of fish and game have made their annual advance prediction of conditions that will greet California anglers on the opening of the general trout season Sunday.

The May 1 opening applies to all counties except Mariposa, Tuolumne, Alpine, Calaveras, Amador, El Dorado, Placer, Nevada, Sierra, Plumas and Lassen counties where the season opens May 30. Almanor, Boca, Butt, Donner, and Tahoe lakes will be opened May 1, as will the Pit river and tributaries in Lassen county.

Bag and possession limit is 15 trout, salmon, or Rocky mountain whitefish, or any combination of the three species. Weight limit is 10 pounds and one fish, except that a minimum of three fish may be possessed, regardless of weight.

The division of fish and game reminds California sportsmen of the following general regulations which apply to current hunting and fishing.

CATFISH—No closed season. Bag limit: 15 pounds and one fish in the aggregate in the round. Night fishing permitted only in District 22, Siskiyou, Shasta, and Modoc counties.

TROUT—May 1 to October 31 in Tahoe, Butt, Almanor and Boca lakes, and in all counties except Mariposa, Tuolumne, Alpine, Calaveras, Amador, Ell Dorado, Placer, Nevada, Sierra, Plumas, and Lassen, where season opens May 30. Bag limit: 15 fish, or 10 pounds and one fish.

PREDATORY ANIMALS—No closed season on the taking of coyotes, mountain lions, wildcats, raccoons, skunks, moles, shrews, gophers, weasels, and wolves.

NATIVE RETURNS

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Charonnat of Oakland are spending a few days in town. He is a native of Nevada City and grew up here. He is associated with Pacific Gas and Electric company.

SCHOOL GAINS DOUBLE WIN OVER MINERS

Coach Ed Frantz's Yellowjackets defeated the Grass Valley Miners at Watt park, by the score of 3 to 0, while the Nevada City Bumblebees were defeating the Grass Valley Muckers at Pioneer park by the score of 9 to 8, Tuesday.

The varsity game was a battle of pitchers, with control ball pitcher, Dick Penrose, out-pitching Almon Brown, the fast ball pitcher of the Miners. Penrose gave up three scattered hits, while striking out 8, and issuing no bases on balls. Brown also gave up three hits, struck out 11, and walked 5.

Nevada City scored in the top half of the third inning, when Coleman walked and stole second. Penrose drove a single into left centerfield, scoring Coleman. Penrose stole second and third, and on the next wind up by the pitcher, stole home before the Miner catcher could put him out. Nevada City scored again in the sixth when Howe singled and was driven in by Smithson, to end the scoring for the game.

The game was probably, the best played by either team this season, only one error being made during the game.

This game marks the second major sport Nevada City has defeated Grass Valley, this year. To the best of local fans' knowledge, this marks the first time in the school's history that Nevada City has won a doubleheader baseball game from its arch rivals.

Duane Coleman, Yellowjacket third sacker, came up with his best game of the season, when he stopped a hard hit ball and threw the runner out at the plate.

Box score:

Nevada City	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Cartoscelli, ss	3	0	0	0	0	0
Coleman, 3b	3	1	0	1	1	0
Penrose, p	2	1	1	1	5	1
Howe, cf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Smithson, c	3	0	1	9	1	0
Ellis, 1b	3	0	0	8	0	0
Imus, rf	1	1	0	0	0	0
Dahl, 2b	3	0	0	1	2	0
Morris, lf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Totals	24	3	3	21	9	1

Grass Valley	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Wong, lf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Valeschini,3b	3	0	0	0	0	0
Painter, 2b	3	0	0	0	3	0
Brown, p	3	0	2	1	4	0
Abraham, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Cutberth, ss	3	0	0	0	0	0
Deal, lf	3	0	1	1	0	0
Winfield, c	2	0	0	11	1	0
Pendrack, 1b	2	0	0	8	0	0
Totals	24	0	3	21	8	0

Score by innings:
Nevada City ..... 001 002 0—3
Grass Valley ..... 000 000 0—0

Nevada City high school's A baseball team could not match the hitting power of Roseville's strong diamond outfit as the visitors collected 11 hits to dump the Yellowjackets 10-1 here Thursday.

Box Score:

Nevada City	ab	r	h	e
Moody, 2b	2	0	1	1
Penrose, 3b	2	1	0	2
Howe, p	3	0	2	0
Smithson, c	3	0	0	0
Imus, rf	1	0	0	0
Havey, rf	2	0	0	2
Bertino, lf	1	0	1	0
Scribner, lf	2	0	0	0
Ellis, 1b	3	0	1	0
Coleman, cf	1	0	1	0
Morris, cf	2	0	0	0
Cartoscelli, ss	3	0	0	0
Totals	25	1	6	6

Score by innings.	R	H	E
Roseville 3215000	10	11	1
Nevada City .. 1000000	1	6	6

Roseville battery: T. Montero and J. Mostero.

Roseville's Bees swamped the locals in Roseville Friday by a score of 17-2.

Doug Atkins was the victim of the Roseville sluggers who tagged him for more than a dozen hits in the first few innings.

Benny Nelson came in to relieve Atkins midway in the game and set the Roseville batters back on their heels with nine strkeouts.

New Skating Star

MARILYN RUTH TAKE, Canadian Olympic star in a dashing gypsy atmosphere, is featured in the new Shipstads and Johnson Ice Follies of 1949, to be seen at San Francisco's Winterland beginning on June 8. She was a member of the Canadian Olympic team which competed in Switzerland last year and is one of the newcomers among the list of stars in the famous ice extravaganza.

748,000 TROUT MAY BE PLACED IN NEVADA CO.

Approximately three-quarters of a million rainbow and eastern trout are proposed to be planted in Nevada county lakes this year, according to an announcement by J. C. Fraser, assistant fisheries biologist, bureau of fish conservation, California division of fish and game, at Placerville.

The fish will be supplied from the Bear river base.

Rainbow trout in Nevada county proposed plantings will total 446,000, and eastern trout will number 302,500. In addition 153,000 rainbow and 5,000 eastern trout will be planted in the Yuba river and its tributaries, according to Fraser.

Boca reservoir, which will be open to fishing Sunday, is expected to receive 25,000 rainbows.

Other rainbow trout plantings proposed include Bowman, 40,000; Deer creek, 15,000; South Deer creek, 2,000; Dry creek, 2,500; Scotts Flat reservoir, upper, 75,000; Scotts Flat, lower, 25,000; South Yuba reservoir, 3,500.

Spaulding lake will not be planted this year, according to Fraser.

Ellis Wins High Jump In Hub Invitational B Class Track Meet

Norman Ellis, Nevada City, tied for first place in B class high jump event at Hub invitational track meet Friday in Marysville. Twelve schools representing four leagues took part in the track and field events.

Ellis cleared the bar at 5 feet 8 inches.

Dick Howe, another consistent point-winner for Coach George Abbott's track team and competing in the A bracket, took third in the 880 yard run, and tied for third place in the high jump with 5 feet 7 inches.

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Farmers coming in to shop never found a place to park, and sometimes had to lug stuff a half mile or so. Some started to do their buying in other towns. Finally, store owners and farmers had a get-together—with the result that the empty field near the depot was fixed up for all-day parkers.

Now farmers get their shopping done comfortably, and the merchants have a better place to park than they had before. Just took a little friendly co-operation to make everybody happy.

From where I sit, most differences can be ironed out by just talking things over—maybe with a cup of coffee or glass of beer—and seeing the other person's side of it. Next time you have a problem or a little difference to settle, why not try just that?

Joe Marsh

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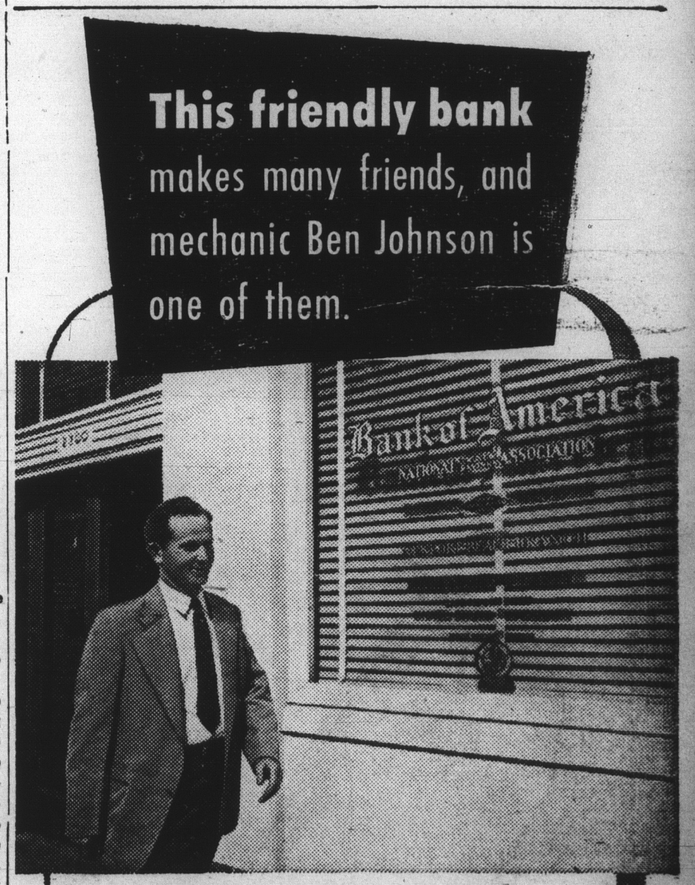

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Mrs. Ed Frantz Is Chosen New AAUW Head

Mrs. Edward Frantz was elected president of Nevada County Branch, Association of American University Women, at a regular meeting held at the home of Mrs. William J. Cassettari n Grass Valley.

Other officers chosen were Mrs George Higer, Nevada City, vice president; and Mrs. Thelma Abernathy, treasurer.

Mrs. Frantz succeeds Mrs. Carville Sparks who expects to move away.

Re-elected to offices were Miss Daphne Gardner, recording secretary, and Mrs. Frederick Green, corresponding secretary.

Program and entertainment committee included Mrs. Constance Pfiffer, Mrs. Adelaide Elliott, Mrs. Henrietta Harris, Mrs. Mabel Kechley, Mrs. June Litke and Mrs E. A. Wallis.

Walda Giovannetti Installed Guardian Neighbor, Woodcraft

Champion circle, Neighbors of Woodcraft installed Walda Giovannetti as guardian neighbor at installation ceremonies at I. O. O. F. hall Thursday evening.

Thelma Butz was installing officer, assisted by Senna Wales, Catherine Wlliams, and Gertrude Zollars.

The drill team, dressed in pastel formals, was led by its captain, Catherine Williams.

Other officers installed were: Faye Scharsch, past guardian; Ray Wilde, advisor; Goldie Anderson, magician; Elizabeth Trathen, attendant; Catherine Williams, captain of guards; Jane Baker, clerk; Nance Raynor, banker; Martha Dillon, flag bearer; Thelma Butz, correspondent; Mary Lystrup, inner sentisel; Tillie Weiss, outer sentinel; Minnie Young, Mildred Tobiassen, and Peggy Flyn, managers; Gertrude Zollars, musician; Neva Schance, senior guardian.

Gifts were presented the installing officers, past guardian neighbor and captain of the guards. Past Guardian Neighbor Faye Scharsch presented the officers with gifts of hand-made dollies.

Visitors from Grass Valley and Downieville attended the exercises. After the meeting refreshments were served in the banquet room by Mary Lystrup and committee.

CELEBRATE ANNIVERSAY

Mr and Mrs. Victor Buck celebrated their fourth wedding anniversary Thursday at their home. Cards and refreshments were enjoyed by Mr. and Mrs. Ray Worthley, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Tourtelotte, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Kingston, Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Bettcher, Mr. and Mrs. Art Himes, Mrs. Hazel Haddy and Tom Richards.

Eye-Catching!

LITTLE DOROTHY MALONE, Motion picture starlet, models this vivid striped cotton sur. frock.

Gold Flat Parent-Teachers Association Honors Instructors

Gold Flat Parent-Teachers association held a regular meeting Friday afternoon. Mrs. Madge Purssell, president, presided.

The meeting honored teachers of the school. Refreshments were served from a colorfully decorated table. highlighted by a centerpiece of daffodils and bridal wreath.

Speakers were: Mrs. Mable Stahlschmidt, speaking on "The Goals of the P-TA"; Mrs. Lloyd White, on "Why We Are Needed in the P-TA;" Mrs. Lillian Granholm, speaking on "Friends;" and Mrs. Mary Pease, on "Objects of the P-TA."

Mrs. John Hathaway, accompanied by Mrs. Eldon Patterson, sang "Songs My Mother Taught Me" and "My Cathedral."

Committee chairmen announced Friday were: Programs, Mrs. Mable Stahlschmidt; membership, Mrs. F. M. Stevenson; publicity, Mrs. M. O. Henderson; hospitality, Mrs. Mary Mayworm; finance budget, Mrs. Ethel Heyne; magazine, Mrs. Fae Bromlick; refreshments, Mrs. Charlotte Halstead, fund raising; Mrs. Julia Peterson.

The next meeting will be held at the school Friday, May 20 at 8 p.m.

Kern county with an estimated population of 210,000 has 168 doctors.

NDGW Scribe Honored for 22 Years of Duty

Laurel parlor, No. 6, Native Daughters of the Golden West, in a bower of spring blossoms, celebrated its 62nd birthday Wednesday evening, last week, and honored two of the parlor's members, Mrs. Nellie Clark and Mrs. Lulu Jones for their long and faithful service and loyalty to Laurel parlor. Mrs. Clark has served as recording secretary for 22 years and Mrs. Jones is one of the parlor's charter members.

There was a large assembly of members and visiting sisters with supervising district deputy grand president, Thelma Butz, and deputy grand presidents Carrie Berryman and Elinor Bolton present.

Gifts were presented the honor guests by president Christine Kite.

A special program honored Mrs. Clark with Bill Tobiassen singing her favorite songs, "Ah, Sweet Mystery of Life," and "Trees," and her favorite poem, "Thanatopsis," was read by Louvia. Kilroy. The numbers were all beautifully rendered. Her favorite color, green, was used in her gift presentation.

Mrs. Jones' gift presentation was in the lodge's colors of red, white and yellow.

Deputy grand president Carrie Berryman and grand past president Ann Whiting of Manzanita parlor, conducted installation rites when past president Sarah Charonnat and third vice president Mary Shipley were inducted into office.

President Christine Kite and her corps of officers conducted beautiful initiatory ritualistic rites for Barbara McLaughlin.

First nomination of delegates to the grand parlor assembly was held.

Delicious refreshments were served in the banquet room decorated with spring blossoms, yellow tapers and a beautiful birthday cake iced in white with yellow roses and green leaves.

Letters of congratulations to Mrs. Clark from absent members were read by Beth Wilson, program committee chairman.

Laurel parlor was instituted April 13, 1887, by Urusla parlor No. 1 with a charter membership of 51. Urusla parlor was the first parlor of the organization and had its inception in Jackson, on Sept. 25, 1886, in the downstairs part of Conrad Weller's hardware store. The founder of the order was Lily O. Reichling Dyer of Jackson.

Laurel parlor has two of her charter members, Lulu Clutter Jones of Nevada City and Hannah Keenan Grimes of Arizona. Laurel's first president was Hattie Calkins.

Laurel parlor has been, and still is a very active parlor with a large membership. During its 62 years of existence, the parlor has been active in civic affairs, never overlooking an opportunity to aid, or take leadership in any community activity for the betterment of the public and has also taken an active part in the social life of the community.

For years the parlor sponsored a New Year's ball which was considered the outstanding event of the season. In late years the firemen's ball has taken its place.

Laurel parlor has been active in pioneer reverence and historical markers and with Hydraulic parlor, Native Sons of the Golden West, held an annual reception nd dinner for the pioneers, which has been discontinued for the past several years. There are very few of the argonauts of pioneer days.

Vera Stedger and Beth Wilson, chairmen, and their co-workers, received a vote of thanks from the parlor members.

Secret Pals Club Of North San Juan Meet

North San Juan Women's Secret Pals club held a meeting Wednesday, last week, commencing with a potluck luncheon. Bingo was played after brief business with prizes going to Mrs. Haddy Bone, Mrs. C. Campbell, Mrs. Emma Proom, Mrs. Charles Murdock, Mrs. Zoann Morehead, Mrs. Matt Sauers, Mrs. Robert Stuart and Mrs. M. Madden.

Piano selections and the singing of old time songs concluded the afternoon.

Next meeting will be held at home of Mrs. Margaret Madden in Birchville Wednesday, May 11.

Columbia parlor No. 70, Native Daughters of the Golden West, will meet May 6.

Mr and Mrs. R. J. Gamble from Paradise was visiting with Mr. and Mrs. V. H, McLaflin home in Sweetland.

Farm Bureau center will meet on the second Friday of every month at Wood's hall, North San Juan. Ladies bring sandwiches or cake.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Campbell of Shady creek were shopping in Nevada City and Grass Valley this week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Stuart of Sweetland were shopping in Nevada City.

Mrs. Margaret Madden and Miss Theresa O'Connor of Birchville were in Nevada City and Grass Valley shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Anderson of Oak division in Grass Valley was visiting in Sweetland at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stuart.

President Margaret Madden, Native Daughters of the Golden West Columbia Parlor No. 70, said she would like to have all officers and members present at the next meeting Friday, May 6, Plans for Sunday, May 29, will be discussed. The meeting will be held at French Corral school.

A card party will be held at French Corral schoolhouse Saturday, May 7, as a benefit to raise funds to repair the historic old school. The committee in charge would like to see many persons present, especially those of the North San Juan ridge.

Board of trustees will meet Friday, May 20, at the French Corral schoolhouse in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Stuart and Mrs. Frank Stuart and daughter were in French Corral taking pictures Sunday.

Gold Flat Rhythm Band Entertains Local Civic Club

A regular business meeting of the Nevada City Women's Civic club was held Wednesday afternoon, last week, and a very good attendance was noted.

Mrs. Frank Schmidt was in charge of the dessert luncheon, consisting of home made cakes and ice cream served at neatly decorated tables. She was assisted by Mrs. Harriet Farmer, Mrs. Ray Murchie, Mrs. Gary Feagans and Mrs. E. J. Pollard.

The meeting was opened promptly at 2 o'clock by the president, Mrs. Byron Brock.

The program chairman, Mrs. William Perry introduced Mrs. Pauline Stevens and her rhythm hand made up of a number of small girls and boys from her class at the Gold Flat school who played several selections.

Mrs. Byron Brock, as president and Mrs. George Gildersleeve, delegate, represented the local club at the northern district convention at Red Bluff. Mrs. A. Hoge and Mrs. G. Feagans also attended.

The club decided next week, May 1 to May 7 shall be Clean-up week. The club asks all property owsers to remove trash that might constitute a fire hazard.

The area of the Belgian Congo is estimated at 902,082 square miles.

Beatrice Renfree Is Chosen President Of Local Garden Club

The Nevada City Garden Club held its annual birthday meeting combined with election of officers at the home of Mrs. O. F. Bettcher Thursday afternoon, with Mrs. Helen Sawyer and Mrs. Arthur Hoge serving as co-hostesses.

New officers chosen are Mrs. Beatrice Renfree, president; Mrs. Frances Burton, vice president; Mrs. Helen Sawyer, treasurer; Miss Gertrude Goyne, secretary.

Mrs. Isabel Tourtelotte, past president, her officers and committee workers were commended for their many worthwhile projects during the past year. The club especially complimented civic beautification program.

The Bettcher garden and orchard were especially beautiful with trees and shrubs in full flower.

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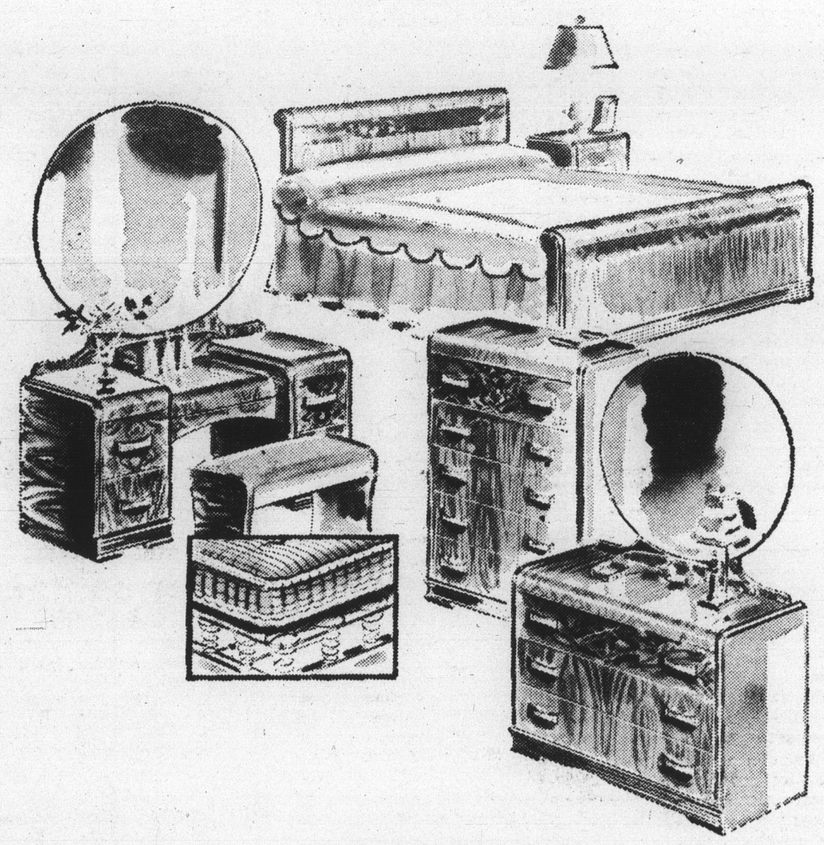

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Short Ribs of Beef with Macaroni will appeal to the food budget as much as it does to the palate. Thrifty durum macaroni gets the credit for extending and blending the good meat and tomato flavors. The macaroni also adds its own important protein to that of the meat. Add to this protein the vitamins and minerals of tomatoes and you can see that this dish ranks high in health-giving and satisfying qualities.

Serve this main dish steaming hot with a side dish of whole green beans and a crisp tossed salad. Crunchy hard rolls with butter or margarine complete the easy menu.

SHORT RIBS OF BEEF WITH MACARONI

- 1½ pounds short ribs of beef
- 2 tablespoons fat or drippings
- 3½ cups tomatoes and tomato juice (1 No. 2½ can)
- 1 small onion, diced
- 2 teaspoons salt
- ¼ teaspoon pepper
- 4 ounces elbow macaroni

Brown short ribs of beef in fat or drippings in heavy skillet. Add tomatoes and tomato juice, onion, salt and pepper. Cover and simmer gently about 45 minutes. Sprinkle macaroni around short ribs. Cover again and continue cooking 20 minutes. Serve hot.

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BPWC Installs New Officers At National

Adelaide Reilley was installed president of the Business and Professional Women's Club of Nevada City Wednsday evening at an installation dinner held at the National hotel. Past President Mary Kohler was installing officer.

Ruth and Rita Hutchison were co-chairman for the event. Vivien Berggren was retiring president.

Other officers installed were Louise Kyle, first vice-president; Wanda Lageson, second vice president; Ida Mae Foote, third vice president; Betty Skalisky, secretary; Gertrude Zollars, treasurer.

Parent Education Class Hears Book Reading on Junior

Parent education class, sponsored by the Nevada City elementary school Parent-Teachers association, met Tuesday evening in the school's library.

A chapter, "Junior Is So Talented," was read from the book, "Stop Annoying Your Children," written by Dr. W. W. Bauer. Discussion followed.

Ridge Road Garden Club Hear Forest Supervisor Wednesday

The Ridge Road Garden club met last night at the home of Mrs. Louis Hartman, with members' husbands as guests. Forest Supervisor Guerdon Ellis was the guest speaker.

Grand Patriarch Here For IOOF Encampment

Grand Patriarch Roy McGan, Salinas, of the grand encampment of California I. O. O. F. made his official visit to Mistletoe Encampment here Monday evening in the Odd Fellows hall. About 75 members of the local encampment, local lodge and Rebekahs were present.

With Chief Patriarch Al Brass in the Miners hopsital for an appendectomy, Past Chief Patriarch Charles Worthley presided.

The lodge held its regular meeting Tuesday evening with George Halstead, noble grand, presiding.

WSCS Apple Blossom Tea Meets Tomorrow

The annual apple blossom spring tea, sponsored by the WSCS will be held tomorrow from 2 to 4 p.m. at the Nevada City Methodist church, it was announced by Mrs. Ethel Price, president of the organization.

A fine musical program has been arranged. All members and friends are invited.

Invite your friends to visit Nevada County.

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REV. GAGE RETIRES

Rev. Walker M. Gage has presented his resignation as rector of St. Peter's church, Red Bluff, to take effect Saturday. Rev. and Mrs. Gage had been at Red Bluff for 15 years, previously at Chico, and before that for a number of years at Trinity.

GREAT GRANDMOTHER

Mrs. Fannie Eden became a great grandmother when her granddaughter, Mrs. Robert O'Harra, of Medford, Ore., gave birth to a girl. Mrs. O'Harra is the former Marjorie Jean Lutz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Lutz, former Nevada City residents.

MOVING TO OAKLAND

Dan Treanor, who will be 79 next May 13, will move to Oakland Sunday to make his home with a daughter, Mrs. Ed Gleastburg. He was born near Shady creek and followed the hard work of sawmills and timber all his life.

TRANSFERRED TO S F.

Mrs. Grace Himes received word her daughter, Madeline, has been transferred from the New York office of Life magazine to the San Francisco office.

HERE FROM BAY AREA

Ralph Carey and T. Hunter, Walnut Creek, are visiting in Nevada City.

ON FURLOUGH

Pvt. Arthur Manley, 17-year-old son of Peggy Tevillyan, is enjoying a two weeks' furlough after completing a three month course of basic infantry training at Ford Ord.

OUT OF HOSPITAL

Miles D. Coughlin and Ed ward C. Uren have been released from the Miner's hospital this ween. George Calanan, another city official, is under the weather this week and is staying close to home until he recuperates sufficiently to return to his city clerking duties.

PONEMAH COUNCIL MEETS

Ponemah Counell No. 16 met last night in regular meeting, with Pocahontas Ruth Wylie in charge.

BACK FROM CRUISE

Robert M. "Bob" Wasley, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Wasley, returned early this week to San Diego aboard a navy ship after spending five months on a cruise of South American ports. He is completing his second year of a three-year enlistment. Bob telephoned his parents Monday night from San Diego. He said he had been assigned to a navy base in Rhode Island where he expected to remain for the balance of his enlistment.

Rural Teachers Meet Friday at Newton School

Rural Teachers club met at Newton school Friday evening with Mrs. Louise McKittrick as hostess.

John Conway of North San Juan school, and vice president of the club, presided in the absence of Mrs Harold George Jr., the former Miss Ruth Blacklidge of Union Hill school, who was married Easter Sunday.

Walter A. Carlson, county superintendent of schools, spoke on emergency credentials. He stated emergency credentials this year will become more difficult to obtain and to renew. They will be granted only when every effort has been made to first obtain available state certified teachers and all emergency teachers must be finger-printed, loyalty checked and submit an oath of loyalty and allegiance to the United States.

He presented the members of his staff, David Dalke and Earl Lee Ross, general supervisors, and county health nurse, Vivian R. Berggren.

Marvin Hutchings spoke on accident and health insurance. Members have until May 1 to file for group insurance in order to avail themselves of the benefits of a group policy. Applications may be sent Conway until that time.

Mrs. Rodgers and Mrs. Pope of Alta Ridge road and former officers in the WAC were introduced They narrated interesting experiences of a trip taken recently by jeep to Alaska.

The club will hold its May meeting at Oregon creek near the middle fork of the Yuba river where they will be picnic guests of the North San Juan teachers. At that time, a kitchen shower will be given Mrs. Harold George Jr. by members of the club.

Mrs. L. McKittrick and her 4-H girls served a delicious potluck supper.

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HERE THIS WEEK

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McGinnis Flies East To Be Best Man At Partner's wedding

Frank McGinnis will leave today by air for Aurora, Ill., where he will be best man at the wedding of his partner, Harold Berliner, to Miss Mary Ann Hagerty, in Aurora Saturday The ceremony will be held in St. Mary's church. McGinnis will return by air to Nevada City Sunday. Berliner and his bride expect to reach here the middle of May.

Jackalena Miller Is Feted on Birthday

A surprise birthday party was enjoyed by friends and family of Jackalena Miller Saturday night at the home of Alice Jenkins.

Among out of town guests attending the affair were Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Palazzi, of Lincoln; Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bankus, and son, Dickie of Port Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. Allie T. Moffett and daughters, Sherry and Renee of Lincoln; and Mr. and Mrs. Fern Richard and children of Grass Valley.

HOME DEPARTMENT MET WEDNESDAY

The monthly meeting of the Nevada City home department was held at Seaman's Lodge yesterday morning. Mrs. Dunkinson demonstrated cleaning and care of sewing machines.

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WEIMAR CALLED DEATH TRAP BY CITIZENS GROUP

The name "death trap" has been applied to the Weimar joint sanatorium, near Auburn.

Weimar is one of those cooperative tuberculosis hospitals, to which patients are sent by the counties of Amador, Contra Costa, El Dorado, Inyo, Nevada, Placer, Plumas, Sacramento, Sierra, Solano, Sutter, Tuolumne, Yolo, Colusa and Yuba.

The active cooperation of these counties, with state and federal authorities, has a chance to produce good care at efficient cost. It is claimed that the counties have the money available for such good care at efficient cost, but that the "active cooperation" is lacking.

The issue arises from Contra Costa county. The Taxpayers association and the health association of that county took notice of complaints and a citizens' committee was set up to investgate.

After eight months of deliberation, 12 meetings and two trips to Weimar, the committee wrote a report.

Some of the recommendations are rather shocking. It is recommended that heat be installed to the cottages while it is hot. suggested that better facilities be provided for getting the food to the cottaes while it is hot. That the flow of liquor to patients from nearby taverns by visitorh be curbed. That the time and place for smoking be regulated. That more toilets, baths, and fire exists be provided. That there be more medical and nursing help, and that surgeons be more accessible.

The committee also considered the suggestion that Contra Costa county establish its own local tuberculosis sanitorum. It thinks there are some advantages to such local action, but hopes that Weimar can be put on a plane of service which will make the change unnecessary, at least at this time.

The management at Weimar thanked the committee for the report, recognized the justice of criticisms, and promised to make changes.

The committee, which feels it has been very patent, and whose report has been called "excellent," "temperate," and "judicial," wonders if it is being kissed off, inasmuch as a year has passed, and few improvements have been made.

So the committee has come to the conclusion that new management may be best in getting a new deal for the patients. Under present conditions, they do not think patients can be happy, or be properly taken care of at Weimar.

The committee having spent a lot of time, wants to continue until something is done, and feels that if the matter had public discussion, it might be helpful in arousing a spirit of civic responsibility in all the 15 counties which are concerned.

Incidentally, the committee had a lot of fine, technical assistance in preparing its report. It was aided by 15 outstanding tubercular scientists, and had the cordial help of Dr. Wilton L Halverson, director of public health for the state of California.

Over a year has passed with little remedial action, and the committee hopes that enough public interest will be aroused, so that progress of improvement can be checked from time to time.

IRENE UNDERWOOD, 63, IS CALLED BY DEATH

Irene Louise Underwood, 63-year old Nevada City resident, died of a heart attack in Lodi Tuesday last week while she was returning to Nevada City from a visit with members of her family.

Mrs. Underwood was the wife of the late Albert Preston Underwood who died here nearly three years ago. She was born in Lompoc, and came to Nevada City several years ago. Recently she had been living at the home of her son, Preston at 203 Spring street, owner of the Nevada City Feed and Fuel store.

Surviving are seven children, four sons and three daughters, Norman Underwood of Hayward; Preston of Nevada City; Charles, Lodi; Kenneth of Aptos, California; Mrs. Florence How, Watsonville; Mrs. Ethel Mary Mouhan, Niles, California; and Mrs. Renie Lou Brown of Nevada City.

A brother, Victor Anthony, lives in Santa Cruz. Two sisters also survive, Mrs. Ruth Ryder, Santa Cruz; and Dorothy Randles of Los Angeles. She was the grandmother of 13 children.

Funeral services were held Saturday at 2 p.m. from the chapel of the Holmes Funeral Home, wtih the Rev. Dahlgren E. Casey of Nevada City Methodist Episcopal church, officiating.

Interment was in Forest View Cemetery.

Veterans' News

Veterans administration advised veterans to give their national life insurance policies periodic "three-way checks" to make certain that their NSLI programs are consistent wtih their plans, obligations and incomes

The "three-way check" should cover (1) beneficiaries, both principal and contingent; (2) manner in which proceeds are to be paid to beneficiaries; and (3) amount and type of NSLI in force.

Many veterans fail to name new beneficiaries when they marry or when a designated beneficiary dies, VA said.

If a veteran dies without naming a beneficiary, or if no designated beneficiary is alive at the time of his death, proceeds of the insurance go into his estate and are subject to inheritance taxes. Final distribution of the proceeds may not be that which the veteran would have desired.

Changes in family status or family income often requre a veteran to change the method of NSLI settlement. He may elect to have his NSLI proceeds paid to his beneficiary in a lump sum or in equal monthly installments ranging from 36 to lifetime income.

The type and amount of NSLI owned by a veteran should be that which best fits his pocketbook and gives him the most coverage, VA said, NSLI policies include term, ordinary life, 30-payment life, 20-payment life, endowment at age 60, endowment at age 65, and 20-year endowment.

Question: I have already used about 25 days of my leave under the GI bill. Will VA allow me additional leave at the end of my training period?

Answer: Under a recent change made by VA, you may apply for 15 days leave at the end of your enrollment, provided you have enough remaining entitlement for education or training to cover it.

Question: I am a World war I veteran and have a non-service connected disability. Am I entitled to a pension?

Answer: If you are permanently and totally disabled for reasons not traceable to your service in the armed forces you may be entitled to a pension. You must have been discharged under conditions other than dishonorable after a minimum of 90 days service, or if you served less than 90 days, you must have been discharged for disability incurred in line of duty. In either case, you are disqualified if your income exceeds $1,000 per year if single, or $2,500 if you are married or have a minor child

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Question: I am an honorably discharged World war II veteran. Can I get glasses through VA?

Answer: Yes, if they are determined necessary for a service-connected disability; or a necessary part of hospital treatment or domiciliary care, or to prevent interruption of training under public law 16, 78th congress, as amended.

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SOUTHLAND PAPER GIVES PUBLICITY TO NEVADA CITY

Max Solaro, chief of the Nevada City police force, received the following clipping from Mrs. Neva Celio who saw it in the San Bernardino Sun and Telegram and thought our local police chief would be interested in the item.

From the column entitled "The Mirror" by Arthur J. Brown:

I suspect Nevada City is a pleasant place to live. I do not assume that pleasant idea merely because that community is the metropolis of one of California's northern tier of counties, Nevada county to be exact.

I garner the idea from what I hear about Nevada City policemen. They appear to be regular persons, apparently of mature years, who are able to resist the swelling of the cranium that ofttimes comes with the possession of a bit of authority and the indulgence of their superiors that appear to forget men will be boys unless taught to be different.

This is really a Christmas story and one which I hope will appeal to those members of the parish upon whose emotions I trust the influence of the merry Yuletide still remains as winter ofttimes lingers in the lap of Spring.

Nevada City has parking meters which leads me to believe it is a metropolis as is our own fair city. Said meters gave Nevada City police, or some really smart politician, an opportunity to remind Nevada City voters that their metropolis has pretty good policemen, and why not keep the present administration which bosses the police in office a few years longer.

Smart politicians always have a chance to incubate ideas at Christmas time that will fertilize the soil for votes to blossom and burgeon during the Ides of March and April or whenever the spring cty elections are held.

During the said Christmas season, parking meters in Nevada City gave the police their chance to enforce the law and still be regular fellows which, curiously enough, they proved could be done.

When a car was found before a meter which registered a violation, the policeman left a card under the windshield wiper reciting that the officer making the discovery has deposited five cents in the meter. The card asked the car-owner to call at police headquarters and pay the five cents so the officer could continue to spread the Christmas cheer.

The card was signed by the chief of police, the mayor, the city councilmen and all the members of the police force.

Maybe the police did that sort of thing because they were motivated by the Christmas spirit. Maybe they did it merely because it was a clever way of winning friends and influencing folks, come the next election, that even Dale Carnegie never heard of. I prefer to believe it was a gesture of good fellowship because Nevada City police feel good fellowship is a swell thing to cultivate.

I imagine they carry that feeling into their general attitude towards their official duties. Indeed, I can work my imagination so far as to fancy a Nevada City policeman never bawled out an absent-minded motorist who had inadvertently run through a boulevard stop with the query "what do you think you're doing, fella?"

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Robert Hanley Speaks To North San Juan Parent Teachers Unit

North San Juan Parent-Teachers association met Friday evening at the North San Juan school with Mrs. Ruby Bridges president, presiding.

Robert Hanley, executive secretary of the farm center, spoke on current school legislation.

The organization will close its year on the fourth Friday in May at 8 p.m at the school house with Walter A. Carlson, county superintendent of schools, speaking on "The School Budget."

The North San Juan school will close June 3 with graduation exercises. The time and place will be anounced later after tests, and approval for graduation by the Nevada county board of education has been given.

TAILINGS
By Jim Towne

MUTINY—It was on April 28, 1789, that the crew of the Bounty mutinied. The English vessel was under the command of Captain Wm. Bligh. A brutal character whitewashed in English naval history. What took place is well known in story and motion pictures. In 1805 Bligh was governor of New South Wales. Once again he faced mutiny. Land mutiny. The colonists rebelled against his harsh rule. He was arrested and kept in prison for two years. On his return to England he received the rank of rear admiral, and vice admiral in 1814. No different today. It's the scoundrel who gets the gravy.

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BRUTALITY—It is associated with the history of sailing vessels. The bible banging Yankee sea captain was the toughest of them all. The brutal treatment of the American seaman was known throughout all foreign and home ports. Today, these same sea captains are whitewashed in American history. All we hear and read is about the beauty and glory of the sailing ship era. Shush, shush.

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NARROW—People who see no good in others come under the heading. Recently we listened in on a conversation. Three women were discussing travel. One would like to do the South American countries. The other Europe, especially England and Italy. The third replied: "Well, for my money the United States is the only country worth seeing." My, my! She thinks that she is an A-1 American. She hates the Democrats, the Catholics, the English and the Italians. My, my!! And if you were to mention the brutality of American sea captains, oh, my, my, my!

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PROTECTION—This is the time of the year to recall that it is unlawful to destroy the flowers growing along our highways. A law disregarded by the majority of the roving public. Let us all get behind the movement to save our native wild flowers. See and enjoy, don't pick and destroy. How about that for a slogan?

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The blossom-snow begins to blow
About the orchard-close,
The fields forget the violet;
But soon shall come the rose,
my Dear.

R. M. Watson

NIGHT FATALITIES

Warm spring nights may be romantic—but they are also dangerous for drivers and pedestrians alike. Nearly two-thirds of all traffic fatalities occur during hours of darkness, says the California State Automobile association. Be extra careful at night, walkisg or driving.

Sometimes words followed by deeds bespeak of the simple grandeur of man.

—Harry E. Burroughs

PAUL POUPPIRT FOUND DEAD IN CABIN BY BROTHER AND HARDT

Paul Kibby Pouppirt, 60, was found dead in his cabin home at the junction of Catalpa Lane and Highway 20-49 between here and Grass Valley Sunday morning.

Undersheriff Otis Hardt and Gerald Pouppirt, a brother, found him lying on the floor of the kitchen, with nothing disturbed in the cabin. The dwelling had been locked from indoors and the key was undisturbed.

Gerald Pouppirt, who had formerly resided wtih his brother at the cabin, during the week had been working for the Tahoe Sugar Pine company at Washington. He came down Sunday to visit Paul Pouppirt and on seeing him lying on the floor and with the door locked, notified the sheriff's office.

Funeral services will be held today at 2 o'clock at Myers Grass Valley Mortuary, the Rev. W. W. Turner officiating. Graveside services will be held at Greenwood cemetery.

Build Nevada County by telling your friends in other localities what a fine place it is to live.

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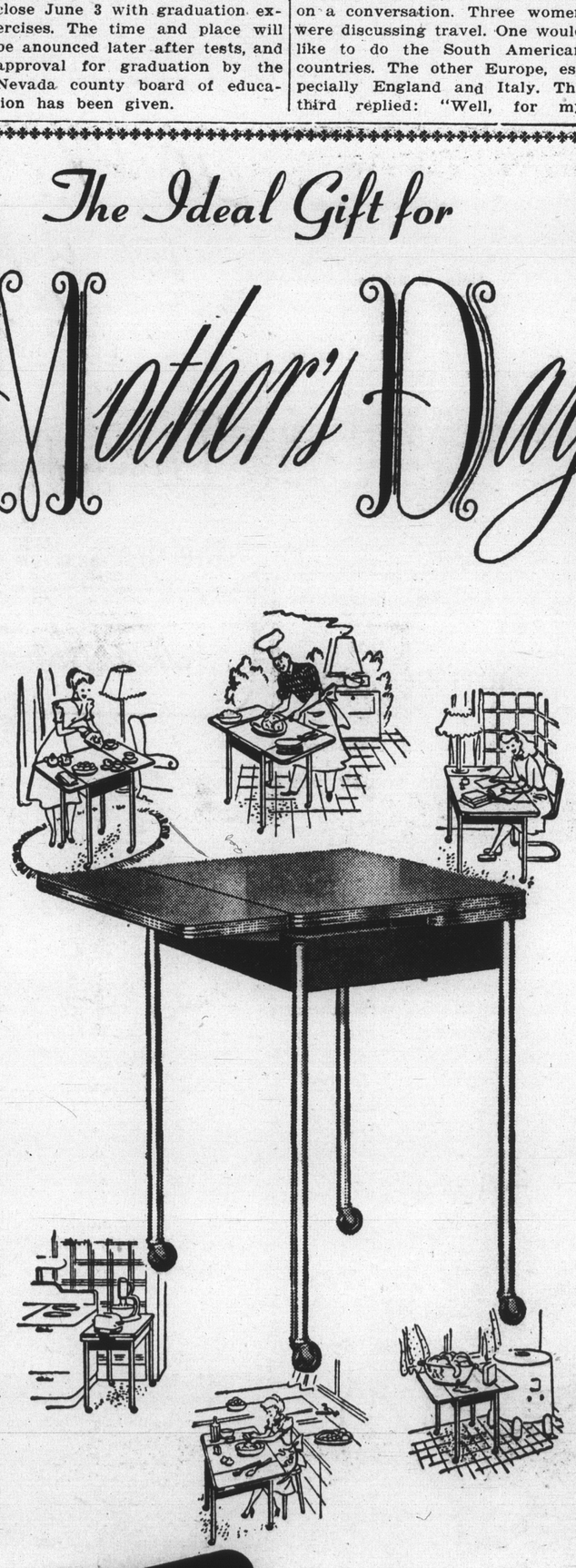
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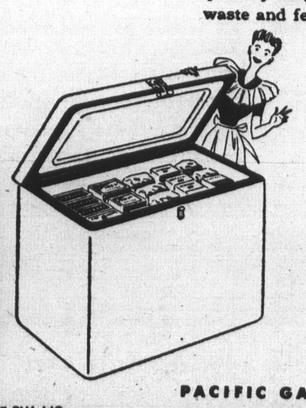
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LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
No. 4943

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF NEVADA.

In the Matter of the Estate of JOHN MACARI, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE UNDERSIGNED, as Executors of the last will and testament of John Macari, Deceased, to the Creditors of and all persons having claims against the said decedent to file them with the necessary vouchers within six (6) months after the first publication of this notice in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Nevada, or to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers within six (6) months after the first publication of this notice to said Executors, at the law offices of FRANK G. FINNEGAN 232 Broad Street, Nevada City, California, the same being the place of business in all matters connected with the estate of said JOHN MACARI, Deceased.

Dated this 14th day of April, 1949.

CATHERINE CARTOSCELLI
DONALD MACARI
Executors of the estate of
JOHN MACARI, Deceased
FRANK G. FINNEGAN
Attorney for Executors
Publish April 21, 28, May 6, 13, 1949.

No. 9276
NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT OF TRUSTEES

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF NEVADA.

In the Matter of the Application for the Appointment of Trustees for the POWNING GOLD & SILVER MINING CO., A California Corporation whose charter was forfeited June 30th, 1942 under Chapter 386, California Statutes of 1905, and acts amendatory thereto.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Alice Brady Spencer has filed herein her verified application for the appointment of Trustees to wind up the affairs of the Powning Gold & Silver Mining Co., a corporation whose charter has been forfeited; and

That Friday, the 20th day of May, 1949, at 10 o'clock A. M. at the court room of the above entitled court, has been fixed as the time and place for hearing said petition, at which time any person claiming to be a director or trustee or receiver for the corporation, or named in the petition as respondent, may answer the petition and may be heard thereon by the Court. Reference is hereby made to said petition on file with the clerk of the court for further particulars therein contained.

Dated this 18th day of April, 1949.

R. E. DEEBLE, CLERK
By RUSSELL WILSON,
Deputy Clerk
FRANK G. FINNEGAN,
Attorney for Petitioner.
Publish April 21, 28, May 6, 1949.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MORTGAGE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that GUY N. STAFFORD and GLENNA STAFFORD intend to execute a chattel mortgage on all the lunch room equipment situated at 129½ Broad Street, Nevada City, California. That the name of the intended mortgagor is GUY N. STAFFORD and GLENNA STAFFORD whose address is Nevada City, California, and the name of the intended mortgagee is ROY L. CRAWLEY and RUTH H. CRAWLEY, of Nevada City, California.

That the said chattel mortgage will be executed on the 9th day of May, 1949, at 10 o'clock A.M. at the office of Frank G. Finnegan, 232 Broad Street, Nevada City, California.

Dated this 25th day of April, 1949.

GUY N. STAFFORD
GLENNA STAFFORD
Publish April 28, 1949.

NOTICE OF INTENDED SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that GUY N. STAFFORD and GLENNA STAFFORD, of Nevada City, California, on the 9th day of May, 1949, intend to buy all the right, title and interest in the building known as Ruth and Roys, at 129½ Broad Street, Nevada City, California, together with all the fixtures, inventory, supplies and good will of said business.

That said property is to be sold by ROY L. CRAWLEY and RUTH H. CRAWLEY, and the consideration is to be paid on the said 9th day of May, 1949, at the office of Frank G. Finnegan, 232 Broad Street, Nevada City, California, and said sale will be consummated and said consideration paid at 10 o'clock of the said day.

Dated this 25th day of April, 1949.

GUY N. STAFFORD
GLENNA STAFFORD
Publish April 28, 1949.

DANCE
At
LONG JOHN'S
TAVERN
SATURDAY
•
Nellie Mae
Spritzer
at the piano

22 CANDIDATES FOR TRUSTEE POSTS MAY 20

Names of 22 candidates will appear on ballots of Nevada county's school trustee elections Friday, May 20, according to Superintendent Walter Carlson.

Competition for the trustee posts will be provided in Grass Valley and Nevada City, where nine applicants have filed—six in Grass Valley and three in Nevada City.

Following is the list of prospective school trustees whose applications were in the school superintendent's office on time.

Grass Valley—Tecla McHugh, Alta Hill; Carl D. Brock, RFD No. 1; Francis W. Bennallack, 216 Empire street; Jearold Floran Brust, 819 W. Main; Ralph Greenwell, Alta Hill; and John D. Gaskins, Lucas Lane.

Nevada City—Unified—Rosalyn Freda Becraft, Cement Hill; Dr. Cyril N. Kerrin, 242 Commercial street, and Harold Berliner, Boulder street.

Lime Kiln—Irving R. Pearl, Rt. No. 2 box 422, Grass Valley; and Lillian E. Campbell, box 742, Grass Valley.

Clear Creek—John H. Oakie, RFD box 759, Grass Valley.

Blue Tent—Phyllis H. Sins, North Bloomfield.

Union Hill—Walter B. Murphy, Rt. No. 1 box 589, Grass Valley.

Indian Springs—Ralph Alderman.

Cherokee—Louis A. Spease, Tyler route, Nevada City.

Chcago Park—Melvin F. Gelhaus.

Kentucky Flat—Jean M. Cates, Bridgeport Road.

Oakland—Jack Townsend, Gold Flat.

Rough and Ready—Marie H. Watters.

French Corral—Mae L. Wilson.

Pleasant Valley — Fred B. Smith. Smartville.

WHEN TO CHECK

Tire pressure should always be checked when the tires are cool, says the California State Automobile association. Air expands when heated and correct readings cannot be obtained when tires are hot from driving. New type low pressure tires may register six to eight pounds over normal, if checked after a long drive.

News of Nevada City Elementary School

Written and Edited by Students of Nevada City Elementary School

KINDERGARTEN

Nia Bichel brought some caterpillars to school on Monday. We talked about them becoming butterflies. Then we went to the courthouse to see the butterflies and moths exhibit. There were large ones and small ones.

Mrs. Bonner's SECOND GRADE

We have been every busy this week trying to get our arithmetic combinations. We want to give our answers quickly when we are called upon.

Last week we planted sunflower seeds, and we were very surprised to have them come up this weekend. We have monitors to take care of our flowers, and two boys take care of the room.

We discussed "Our Friend—The Policeman" last week, and so far we have studied in "Our Friends—The Dentist, The Doctor, The School Nurse and The Bus Driver."

Mrs De Mattei's FOURTH GRADE

The two fourth grades went down to Sacramento recently to see Sutter's Fort and the zoo. At the entrance of the fort there are two cannons. We saw some old coaches.

There were signs that told the different office. Adobe brick is on one of the outside walls. Inside there are still some adobe walls and floors of different compartments.

We went to the Indian exhibit asd saw skeletons of Indians, headdresses, and baskets.

We went to William Land Park and ate lunch. We saw the zoo. They have a new elephant now. We growled at the bobcat and it spit and growled back at us.

We saw some alligators that were sleeping. We found a stick and poked the big one and some of the smaller ones They slid off into the water. We saw a peacock spread its tail.

—By Larry Hornberger

Miss Hogan's FIFTH GRADE

At physical education the boys played the sixth grade. We have won once by a score of 2-1. We lost once, 4-3, and tied once, 2-2. The batteries for the fifth grade were: Underwood, Steger and Foote; for the sixth grade, Snyder and Oates.

The girls have formed a softball team too. They are planning to play the sixth grade girls.

When these teams play it should be a pretty even game.

—By Eddie Underwood

Mrs. Haley's SIXTH GRADE

We have been working on an art project for Mother's Day gifts. Our parents were a little bewildered when we asked for a spoon, a safety pin, and some cotton to take to school, but we know they will be pleased with the results of this queer assortment when they receive the finished product on May 8.

Our painted border is now completed and makes an interesting mural around the walls of our room. The scenes portrayed tell the story of the history of civilization, going back to our most primitive ancestors, and showing early Phoenician, Egyptian, Oriental, Greek, and Roman cultures,as well as the more modern viking, barbarian and medeival peoples. The last pictures how the arrival in the new world of Columbus and other explorers, and tell of the Latin American world they founded.

Gregory Kelly, who has been seriously ill for several weeks, is nearly recovered, and will be back in school next week. We have missed Gregory very much and will be glad to have him with us again.

—Marjorie Thomas

THE SEVENTH GRADE

In the last week we have been playing the eighth grade in baseball. In the boys' frst game we were ahead 2 to 1 in the first inning. The final score was, Eighth grade 21, Seventh 3. The second game we lost 11 to 4. The girls won both games 11 to 10 and 16 to 15. We plan to go on KGFN at 7:15 on Thursday the 28th. Our program will be on China.

—By Jim Curry

The number of immigrants to Brazil between 1820 and 1939 was 4,645,462.

SUPERVISORS VOTE $50,000 ROAD REPAIRS

The Nevada county board of supervisors last week appropriated $50,000 for reconstruction of county roads damaged by the winter storms. At the same time the board announced a request would be made for a matching amount from state funds.

The decision of financing repairs to the county roads came after an all-day session with J. F. O'Connor, county road commissioner.

O'Connor is expected to begin immediately preparing estimates, maps and proposed projects to complete the application for state aid. The road commissioner stated he expects the reconstruction prógram to get under way before July 1 to enable most of the work to be accomplished by fall.

Some repair work has already started on roads hit hardest during the long, cold winter.

O'Connor said he was unable at this time to outline definitely the road reconstruction program which will begin this summer.

The board accepted the resignation of Ida Guenther as assistant janitor of the court house. She has been employed as an assistant in the court house for more than 10 years. A replacement is expected to be made at the next regular meeting of the board.

All supervisors were present at the adjourned session except Frank Rowe of the second district.

PASSING ON GRADES

Vacation drivers are reminded by the California State Automobile association that on mountain roads too narrow for safe passing, the vehicle code requires the driver of the descending car to back up the hill to a point where it is possible for the ascending car to pass safely.

WILMA DAVIS WINNER OF ACCORDION SHOW

Wilma Davis, 11, Nevada City, won a new accordion as first prize in an accordion playing contest sponsored by Al Schweigert, of Eastman Music Co., recently in the Old Fellows hall.

Parents and friends witnessed the contest of more than 20 amateur accordionists competing.

Second prize went to James Carter, Nevada City, also 11. Third place was won by Mrs. Mary C. Lewis. Honorable mention went to Gary Schiffner, 12.

Judges for the contest were Martin Delpez, Nevada City; Mrs. M. Dailey, Marysville; and C. Lorrenz, Nevada City.

Others in the contest were Gale Fisher, Harry Peart, E. R. Fox, F. B. Vollmer and Ed Hamilton. All played "Now Is the Hour" for their competing number.

Following the contest, a program of accordion music was played by Schweigert, his accordion band, and the contestants.

Participating were Jim Beverage, Raymond Dalpez, Wayne Kistle, Margaret Mooers, Claire Schance, Lorraine Hamilton and Jerry Purcell.

The contestants and band were heard in "The Merry Widow Waltz," and Schweigert played the poular numbers, "Sharpshooters March," "Lady of Spain," and "Accordiana."

Rabbit Breeders Will Have Card Party May 6

Sierra Nevada Rabbit Breeders association is planning a card party Friday, May 6, at 8 p.m. at Seaman's lodge. Door prizes and refreshments will featured. Fred Bush is chairman of the event. Jack Townsend is president of the club.

San Francisco's fisrt postmaster, John W. Geary, arrived in the city on the S. S. Oregon, March 31, 1849.

PG&E AWARDS 8 SERVICE PINS TO COUNTY MEN

A dinner in honor of 54 Pacific Gas and Electric company employees in the company's Drum Division who completed five, ten or more years of service in 1948 was held last week at the Freeman hotel in Auburn.

Service badges, set with diamonds for tenure of 20 years and more, was presented by James R. Johnson, division manager.

Forty-five per cent of the company's 16,134 employees in communities throughout northern and central California now hold badges indicating five or more years of service, accordng to L. R. Farrell, distrct manager of the company.

Of those attending the dinner, eight were awarded badges for 20 years service, 14 for 25 years, and one for 40 years.

"P. G. and E. is proud of the stability of employment indicated by this exceptional record," Farrel lsaid. "Employees who like their jobs make good citizens in their communities and help the company maintain a high standard of service to the public."

Local employees of the company who received service badges at the dinner are the following:

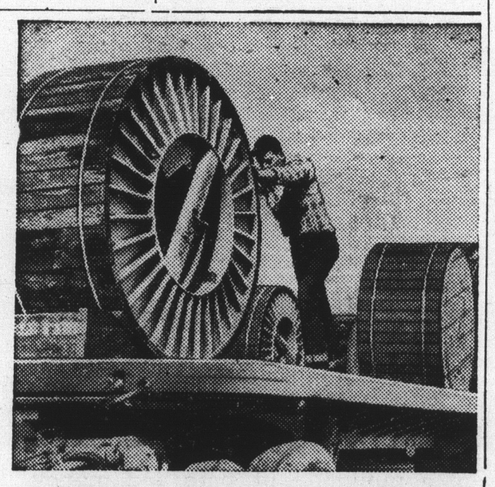
Twenty-five years: Edward W. Clark and Henry C. Fynn; twenty years: Gerald E. Peard; ten years: Douglas Atkins and Emery D. Ford; five years, John C. Beatty of Spaulding, William Campbell of Deer Creek and Israel H. James, Jr.

Thirty-three per cent of all construction in Califorina during 1948 was for sewage and water works.

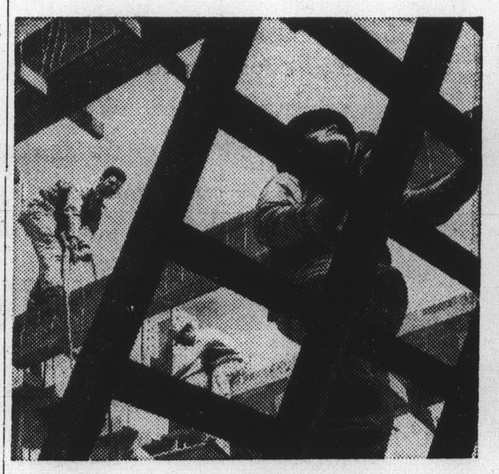
Yuba Pass, in Nevada county, has an elevation of 6700 feet.

HOW MANY COAST JOBS WERE BORN

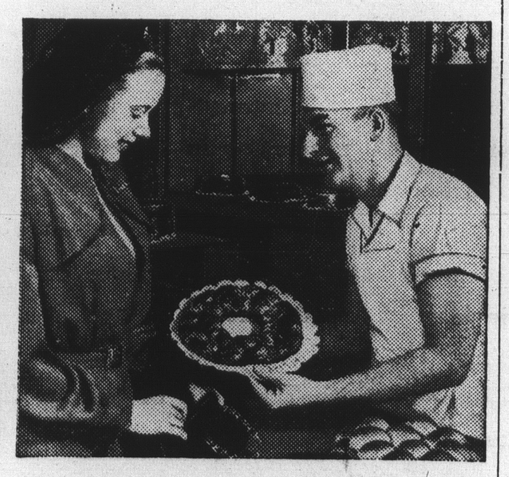
Pacific Telephone's construction program has made work for countless thousands and added to the West's postwar prosperity



1. When you see telephone cable on its way to work, you're watching the West benefit in two important ways. It means new voice highways for the West . . . more telephones . . . better service. It also means jobs and paychecks for the men who make the cable, those who install it and, later on, those who maintain it. And putting in new cable is just a small part of our building program.



2. Hundreds of new buildings mean work for carpenters, bricklayers—and work for those who provide the materials. They mean future jobs for telephone people. Since the war, we've put half a billion dollars to work in new construction. Much of it has found its way in ever-widening circles into the economy of practically every city and town in the West.



3. More business for the baker, the druggist, the clothier — telephone construction has given the West a big postwar lift. There's no way, of course, to trace all the jobs created by just one mile of cable . . . or one building. But it would probably be hard to find a family whose income has not benefited, in some way, from the money we've spent to provide more service.

4. It all adds up—this tremendous building program—to a better West for all of us and better telephone service. You can help yourself to the best possible service, too. Such things as making sure of the right number before you call and giving the called party plenty of time to answer help make your telephone a better servant.

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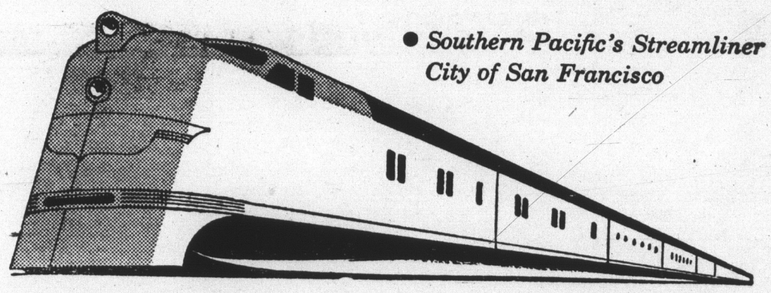

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SCHEDULE OF THE "CITY OF SAN FRANCISCO"

Leave		Hours to Chicago
San Francisco (Ferry)	5:00 p.m.	39:45
Sacramento	7:18 p.m.	37:27
Reno	11:52 p.m.	32:53

Arrive Chicago 10:45 a.m. Second Day

SCHEDULE OF THE "SAN FRANCISCO OVERLAND"

Leave		Hours to Chicago
San Francisco (Ferry)	11:00 a.m.	48:00
Sacramento	1:40 p.m.	45:20
Roseville	2:17 p.m.	44:43
Colfax	3:17 p.m.	43:43
Truckee	5:40 p.m.	41:20
Reno	6:40 p.m.	40:20

Arrive Chicago 1:00 p.m. Second Day

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Church Notes

Community Baptist Church

311 Commercial Street

Rev. John A. MacDonald, pastor

9:45 a.m.—Sunday school.
11 a.m. — Morning worship. Union evangelistic service at Methodist church. Clyde Paul White, speaker.
6:30 p.m.—Youth Fellowship.
7:30 p.m. — Evening service. Union evangelistic service at Methodist church. Clyde Paul White, speaker.

Wednesday

6:30 p.m.—Teacher training class.

Thursday

3:30 p.m.—Good News club.

Methodist Church

Dahlgren E. Casey, pastor

9:45 a.m.—Sunday school, Lloyd Geist, superintendent.
11 a.m. — Morning service. Union service with Baptist church. Clyde Paul White, speaker.
6:45 p.m.—Youth Fellowship.
7:30 p.m. — Evening service. Union service with Baptist church. Clyde Paul White, speaker.

Trinity Episcopal Church

Rev. Max L. Christensen, rector

9:45 a.m.—Church school.
11 a.m.—Adult church services.
Thursday, 4 p.m., Junior choir practice.

Christian Science Church

Christian Science society of Nevada City holds services every Sunday morning at 11 o'clock at the church on Boulder street.
Sunday school will be at 9:45.
Testimonial meeting first Wednesday of each month at 8 p m
Our reading room is now located in the church edifice, 114 Boulder street and is open Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, holidays excepted, from 2 to 4 p.m.
"Know ye not, that to whom ye yield yourselves servants to obey, his servants ye are to whom ye obey; whether of sin unto death, or of obedience unto righteousness?" (Romans 6:16). This is the golden text of the Christian Science lesson-sermon for Sunday, May 1, on the subject "Everlasting Punishment."
The following citations are included in the sermon:
The Bible: "Make straight paths for your feet, lest that which is lame be turned out of the way; but let it rather be healed. Follow peace with all men, and holiness, without which no man shall see the Lord" (Hebrews 12: 13, 14).

Pentecostal Church of God

116 Sacramento Street

Austin Allen, pastor

10 a.m.—Sunday school.
11 a.m.—Morning worship,
7.45 p.m.—Evening service.
Wednesday, 7:45 p.m., evangelistic message.

St. Canice Church

Father William Daly, pastor

Sundays—8 and 10:30 a m.
Holy days—7:15 and 9 a.m.
Week days—8 a.m.

PUT SAFETY FIRST

When planning your spring tour or summer vacation, put personal safety at the head of your list of "musts", urges the California State Automobile association. Take it easy in your driving, allow ample time for reaching each day's destination, and don't over-drive your physical endurance.

Births

DASMANN—At Miners hospital, Nevada City, April 27, 1949 to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dasmann, Nevada City, a son.

Divorces

Erma Ryason filed suit for divorce Tuesday in superior court against Leroy R. Ryason, charging extreme cruelty. She asks care and custody of the children.

Mary G. O'Donoughue filed suit for divorce in Nevada county superior court Monday against Alexander O'Donoughue on grounds of extreme cruelty.

A single gold pocket near Sonora yielded $360,000 during the gold rush days.

San Francisco is headquarters for the 12th Federal Reserve District.

MRS. FREDA BECRAFT LISTS QUALIFICATIONS AS SCHOOL TRUSTEE

Mrs. Rosalyn Freda Becraft, seeking election May 20 as school trustee of the Nevada City unified school district, made the following statements today regarding her qualifications:

"I am a native of Stockton, and received my primary and secondary education in the public schools of San Joaquin, Fresno and Alameda counties.

"I have had approximately 20 years of executive secretarial experience, several years of which were spent in the business managements department of one of the 'Big Three' automobile manufacturer's regional sales offices. It was my duty to formulate monthly a financial statement of dealer operations in each of the five western states and combine them into one regional financial report, study financial conditions and where deviations were detected, report them so personal contact could be made and advice given on sound financial practice. I feel that this experience has provided a good background especially where one of the most important duties of school trustees is to study and prepare a sound budget for the district.

"My husband and I have invested our life savings in the building of a new home and developing a new apple orchard of considerable acreage just out of Nevada City on Cement hill road. We have a young son now attending Nevada City elementary school. I have a vital interest therefore in the schools of Nevada City and I agree heartily with this statement taken from the manual for school board members—there is a direct relationship between public education and the economic and social welfare of the community.

"I have obtained and studied thoroughly the education code of the state of California. I know the duties of school trustees and feel confident that I am fully qualified to act competently in the interests of the community in securing the most adequate education for our tax dollar.

"People in the community have expressed their desire to have a woman representative on the school board and I ask support from voters in this district who stand for progress and efficiency in our schools."

Nevada County Girl Awarded Sponsored Calf for Coming Year

Only girl to be awarded a sponsored calf at the Grand National junior livestock exposition just concluded at the San Francisco-San Mateo Cow Palace was Lyns Gleason, 14-year-old Nevada county 4-H club member, of Rough and Ready.

Miss Gleason who exhibited Aberdeen-Angus at the third annual Junior Grand National also placed third in the judging of girls exhibiting the breed for the showmanship awards of the Pacific Coast Aberdeen-Angus Women's Auxiliary.

Sponsored calves were awarded 18 boys who competed in the calf scramble, an arena feature of the performances held in connection with the Cow Palace show. Lynn was selected by the Pacific Gas and Electric company for its annual award and will raise her animal during the coming year, returning it to the Junior Grand National in the spring of 1950 for exhibition, judging and sale at auction.

The calf sponsored plan is an annual project of San Francisco and California firms who sponsor the young exhibitors of 4-H clubs and Future Farmers of America chapters in their livestock development for the coming year. The firms accept the responsibility of visiting the young people on their home ranches or farms during the year to become acquainted with the family and inspect the animal.

The PG&E sponsored calf during the past year was raised by Douglas Young, 4-H club member of Sutter county whose animal rated top good and was purchased at the fat beef cattle auction of the Junior Grand National by H. Moffat & company of San Francisco.

The 1949 Junior Grand National filled the gigantic Cow Palace almost to its tremendous capacity and firmly clinched its place as the foremost livestock show exclusively for juniors in the nation. A complete motion picture record of the annual six-day event, April 9-14, was made by the PG&E and will be shown by the company during the year.

WAIT IN SAFETY

Curb your impatience, literally, by waiting on the curb or sidewalk for a traffic signal to change, advises the California State Automobile association, which points out that standing in the traffic lane in the path of turning or oncoming cars is a dangerous practice.

GRAND PRESIDENT OF NSGW VISITS QUARTZ AND HYDRAULIC UNITS

Walter Bailey, grand president of the Native Sons of the Golden West made an official visit at joint meeting held in Grass Valley Monday night for members of Quartz and Hydraulic parlors.

Grand President Bailey was accompanied by an official entourage.

Glen Allen, president of the Quartz parlor presided.

Earl Covey, supervising district deputy grand president was official greeter.

The initiatory degree team was headed by Tony Casci, Grass Valley and included members of both parlors. Members inducted were John Wyllie, Nevada City, and Mel Olson of Grass Valley.

A fresh crab feed with all the trimmings was served in the banquet hall.

It was the last official visit of the grand president before the grand parlor to be held at Sonora, May 16-19.

Attending from Nevada City included Clarence Marks, Dr. C. W. Chapman, Charles Veale, Ellsworth Sherman, Vern Gularte, Bill Young, Ernie Bisbell and Rudy Plegeman. James Jones, Nevada City man, but member of Quartz parlor, also attended.

HOME ON FURLOUGH

Pfc. Wayne Jenkins, 18-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Jenkins, Lake Vera, is here on furlough after completing basic air force training at Sheppard field, Texas. Following the completion of his furlough, young Jenkins, who enlisted in the air force last December, will be sent to the air force base at Biloxi, Miss., where he will enter radio school

Veterans News

A number of veterans each month run the risk of allowing their national servce life insurance to lapse because they fail to take a second look before mailing their premium payments, veterans administration said.

Each month, VA district offices receive checks, money orders and postal notes that cannot be cashed, although they were intended to pay NSLI premiums. Many checks are not signed. Others are made payable to companies and organizations that have no connection with VA.

VA attempts to clear up such mistakes immediately, by writing to the veteran within 24 hours. But his premium cannot be marked "paid" until he sends back a cashable payment.

If the veteran who forgets to sign his check is near the end of his 31-day grace period, there is particular danger that his insurance may lapse, VA said.

Checks, money orders or postal notes should be made payable to the treasurer of the United States. If, for any reason, the veteran does not have a VA premium envelope and does not know his insurance number, he should make certain his payment is accompanied by his full name, address and armed forces serial number.

Question: I am a World War I veteran and was married in 1947. Will my wife be entitled to a pension at my death?

Answer: The law provides that the widow of a World War I veteran may be paid a pension only if she was married to the veteran before Dec. 14, 1944. If she married him after that date, she must have been married to him ten or more years at the time of his death.

Question: If I accept and cash the compensation check VA has sent me, does that mean I am satisfied wtih the rating given me,

Answer: No. The acceptance of a check does not waive any rights you have in claiming greater compensation or pension than that which has been awarded you.

Poole Demonstrates Fire Extinguishers To Gold Flat School

E. C. Poole, of the Poole Fire Equipment Co., Grass Valley, discussed fire prevention with the pupils and teachers of Gold Flat elementary school Monday.

Poole demonstrated and explained the school's two different types of fire extinguishers. He gave helpful suggestions and told of precautionary measures for the children to employ in case of different types of fires.

Poole held the children's attention for more than an hour with his interesting discussion of prevention of fires.

HOME AGAIN

Mrs. A. H. Tickell has returned home after visiting in the bay area.

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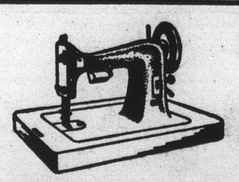
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● A newspaper, like a human being, can be lazy, or it can be industrious. In this country there are plenty of lazy newspapers, but The NUGGET is not among them. If we just used scissors and paste—borrowing from other newspapers, we would be a lazy newspaper. If we spent a minimum of time and money and effort to produce our weekly issues, we would be a lazy newspaper.

● A lazy newspaper is never a very interesting newspaper, even though its readers put up with it. Its quality of laziness is perceived by everybody, including advertisers. And a lazy newspaper tends to make its community lazy—lazy in their interest in civic and county affairs, in all good causes, and in its interest in what goes on in the community and in the home.

● We know communities where the conscience of their dwellers is lazy. When conscience is lazy, it sanctions evil things. The moral tone of a community becomes low. Crimes increase. The city's or town's rulers become lazy.

● Now, we are not saying that Nevada City and the territory of which it is the natural center are perfection; yet we do say that we have a pretty good town and community and that The NUGGET is trying every week to keep it a good section of California.

● We ask you to look over this issue of The NUGGET to see how much original material it contains, and even when you find material which has been selected from other publications, you will see that it is well-chosen material. We may say that we feel it our duty to our readers and community to diffuse the best thought and writings of men and women who reside outside our community.

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